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# A 'little' rezoning can turn a residential area into traffic artery

Last winter, Washburn Street was almost all one-lane, as snow piled up along the roadway.

How would you like it if the house across the road was torn down and you faced a busy supermarket exit?

This house, is so close to the A & P lot that it looks as if it might slide in.

Picton residents in the area of Washburn and King Streets got a foretaste last Saturday of traffic problems to come when cars, which had parked on the lot at the new A and P site during the Santa Claus Parade, made use of the new exit onto Washburn Street when the parade was over.

Washburn Street (which used to be called Cat's Lane) is one-way from Main down to King Street,so cars coming out from the A and P Wasburn Street exit' have to make a sharp left turn from Washburn to King.

People in the area had been afraid that this was what would happen if the exit-entrance shown on the original proposals for the site was allowed to be built. They raised this question at the Ontario Municipal Board hearing about a year ago.

Everyone in town knows what the traffic is like on Main Street and how difficult it is to enter Main Street from a cross street or a driveway. Because of the difficulty, as they pointed out at the OMB hearing, people coming out of the store lot and heading east would make use of the Washburn Street exit, turn left on to King and head out of town without getting snarled up in any Main Street traffic.

Traffic 'experts' at the hearing didn't agree. They had done their traffic flow surveys during a fairly quiet time before the tourist trade had started.

Some suggestions which were taken into consideration at the hearing were that the entrance on to Washburn be chained at night, that it would have a concrete median too narrow to allow a truck through or a snow plow bigger than a single.

The entrance-exit has now been built. It has two wide lanes and a median strip which can be driven over.

The amount of traffic from the Washburn Street exit on Saturday proved that the protesters at the hearing knew what they were talking about.

There appears to be no help for it now. Graham Lodge, Picton's town clerk, when asked by the Scanner about the final agreement concerning the A and P site, said there was nothing in the agreement to restrict traffic entering or leaving by the Washburn outlet...and it certainly looks wide enough for trucks, as well as cars.

Harry Raby, whose house now looks right into the exit, instead of the pretty little red cottage which used to be across the road, will get the full glare of lights from evening-hour shopping.

## Who has bought old Cannery? Read on and find out for yourself

At last, the latest installment in the series ... 'What's with the old Edgewater Cannery property on the Northport Road?'

There's been a lot of speculation since the for sale sign on the site was taken down, a few weeks ago.

Last time the for sale sign went up and down, over a year ago, there was similar speculation and, to the dismay of some of the neighbours, it was finally learned that a truck terminal was going into the site.

Sophiasburgh Township residents in the area turned frantically to the copies of the proposed zoning by-law they had received some weeks before from Township Council, to check on the zoning on the site. They found that, indeed, a truck terminal could be located there and it was too late to make objections.

The truck terminal business didn't last long and the property went up for sale again.

There were rumours of a marina ... another trucking terminal. There were even rumours of a cement plant activity. Canada Cement at one time had taken options on a lot of Greenpoint property, previous to locating at Bath.

This rumour was strengthened when it was learned that the new owner is Bruce Price of the Glenora Road, who works at Lake Ontario Cement.

It has absolutely nothing to do with Lake Ontario Cement,' said Mr. Price. 'I purchased it myself.'

What plans does he have for the property?

'There are a lot of possibilities,' he said.

To date, he has leased part of the property to a new laminating and printing business, which is already being formed. 'They are moving machinery in now, and should be operating a few short months,' he said.

The neighbours should be happy with this,' said Bob Williams, one of the sponsors of a petition to stop the truck terminal from locating there. 'I'm pleased it's not a truck terminal. It sounds good and may bring some jobs.'

## Day Care subsidies available will P.E. apply for them?

Does Prince Edward County need subsidized Day Care Services?

Suppose you were a mother with one small child, who had to work to support that child and you were lucky enough to find a job in 'job-poor' Prince Edward County, at the minimum wage of about $3 an hour. That's about $120 a week ... less deductions ... for a 40-hour week.

Could you affort to pay out $30 a week for day care?

You'd have less than $90 a week left to get by on. Maybe you'd be better off on welfare ... and that would cost the county a lot more than a bit of subsidy to help out with your day care costs, especially when Ontario has a mechanism set up to allow a municipality to get back 80% of the amount the municipality pays to subsidize day care centre costs.

That's the financial point of view. There's a humanitarian aspect too.

In a recent speech on 'The Myths of Social Policy,' the Federal Minister of Health and Welfare, Monique Begin, pointed out that there has been a swing to the right in the politics of most Western democracies ... but there is a danger in this current swing of the political pendulum ... we may overlook the needs of millions of Canadians who are far less fortunate than we are.

'Nearly 600,000 families in Canada are poor, in spite of the fact that they do work ... many of them very hard indeed,' she said. 'And there are nearly 2 million children living in families with incomes that are inadequate for their needs.'

Prince Edward County's new council is going to be in a position to make a decision which could help some of the poorer working parents in the County by making subsidized day care available.

The Prince Edward Day Care Centre, which operates in the St. Mary Magdalene Parish Hall in Picton, was opened almost a year ago, with the assistance of a Canada Works Program grant. This grant will run out at the end of January.

The organization, which became incorporated on November 3, approached County Council with an application giving three suggestions: (1) subsidy of fees (2) takeover of the Day Care Centre by the county, or (3) a take over and a subsidy of fees.

'The Day Nurseries Act states you

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# the Quinte Scanner

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Forgotten in the field, this old piece of machinery takes on a winter white coat

# EDITORIAL

It's that time of year again when the first ice is forming on the Quinte waters and people anxious to get out on the ice are testing it, around the shores, to see how thick it is. That can be pretty foolhardy too early in the season.

The Red Cross has some common sense warnings about winter water and ice safety.

It's wise to stay away from newly-formed ice until it's at least 10 cm thick. Early in the season, it may be worn thin by currents.

Check ice thickness by cutting a hole. Ice around such objects as jetties, wharves, logs or rocks is seldom reliable. Heat transfer from sun-warmed surfaces makes it weak and treacherous.

When walking across ice, carry a long pole held horizontally. If the ice breaks, the pole will catch on the edges of the ice and hold you up.

When attempting a rescue, don't try to save someone by getting into the water. Hypothermia sets in quickly at winter lake temperatures. Use a long pole, a ladder, a hockey stick, to reach out to the victim.

Prepare properly for all excursions with suitable clothing and a personal survival kit. Be sure to tell someone where you're heading and when you expect to return.

## Bird's Eye View

by Orville S. Greenbush

Well, by gol, ain't it awful about them there religious fanatics all doing theirselves in at one go? Folks sure do get some peculiar ideas, and then that makes 'em do peculiar things.

Mind you, that's not to say it weren't ever done round here. They didn't use no poison Freshie neither, back in the old days it were harder to get hold of pills and such. Time was there were only two respectable ways to do yourself in, one was hanging and the other drowning.

Puts me in mind of an old feller over in the county. Seems he got real down like, and decided to do away with himself.

Anyways, off he goes into town and gets a hair cut and a shave. Then he goes home and hangs hiself in the barn. I remember one neighbour asking why he bothered to get his hair cut, when he was planning on hanging himself that afternoon.

That made more sense to me than stringing hisself up in the barn. At least he looked good when they come to lay him out.

Then there was the feller what built himself a big bonfire and jumped in it. He were a religious nut too, figgered the Lord would save him from the fiery furnace too. Reckon he guessed wrong. Maybe he was just pushing his luck too far, seems to me that I were taught in Sunday school that we shouldn't oughter put God to the test. I ain't fully sure of that though, on account of it being some time ago.

Still, it keeps life interesting, don't it?

# Letter to the Editor

**NAPANEE HOSPITAL PRAISED**

Dear Editor:

Regarding your article in the Scanner Nov. 29, I am not surprised that complaints are being heard about service in our beautiful local hospitals.

It's a known fact that there are chronic complainers, same as there are chronic gossipers. It is their way of life and that's how they are happiest living it. They care not who gets hurt. It is possibly a matter of being given too much, too early in life.

Last April I entered the L and A Hospital through the emergency ward for a 3-week stay. I was taken care of in my turn courteously and efficiently.

The nurses in my ward were, to quote Welk,'Wonderful, Wonderful' anxious to make their patients comfortable and pleasantly going about their work. Nothing more was necessary.

In this decade I have spent two weeks in Hotel Dieu Hospital, also in Belleville General Hospital and received excellent care in all three hospitals.

It would be good for these complainers to experience illness in their own homes, with no one to aid them in any way. It would teach them to appreciate the excellent care which they receive in our hospitals.

My only 'Beef' is that my surgeon Dr. Thomson, also my anaesthesist Dr. Steenburg moved to far pastures which always look greener (I wonder!). There is ample work here for Dr. Reynolds and I hope he remains with us.

I cannot thank the nurses and doctors too much for their kindness and care given to me in my hour of need.

I wish them all a Very Happy Christmas and good health in the New Year.

Sincerely,
Reba Goodall,
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**6. GENERALLY FOR SNOW REMOVAL**

(1) No vehicle shall be parked between the hours of 2:00 A.M. and 8:00 A.M. on any street in the town of Deseronto from December 15th to March 31st inclusive.

(2) That any vehicle parked in contravention of this by-law may be removed at the owner's expense and be subject to a fine of $10.00 for each offence.

(3) A person charged with an offence under this section may within forty eight hours of being charged with the offence, pay the amount of the fine as provided by this by-law to the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Deseronto.

Ministry of Revenue — Assessment Region No. 06

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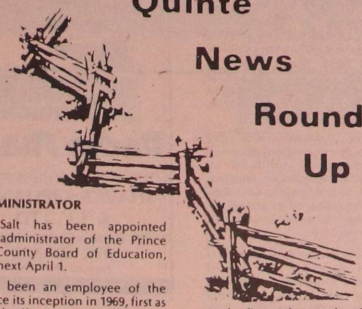
**NOTICE TO ALL PROPERTY OWNERS AND TENANTS**
(Except the Municipality of the Village of Stirling)

Take notice that pursuant to Section 40 of the Assessment Act (as amended) RSO 1970, I have on the 4th day of December delivered or caused to be delivered Assessment Notices to all owners and tenants in this region.

The last day for Appealing the Assessment is January 9th, 1979 and the Assessment Roll may be examined at the Municipal Offices during regular business hours commending December 19th, 1978.

G. Leighton Thompson, M.I.M.A.,
Assessment Commissioner,
Hastings, Prince Edward and
Northumberland Counties.

# Quinte News Round Up



**NEW ADMINISTRATOR**

Chris Salt has been appointed business administrator of the Prince Edward County Board of Education, effective next April 1.

He has been an employee of the board since its inception in 1969, first as a financial officer and since 1970 as assistant business administrator.

He will be replacing E.A. Shortt who is retiring at the end of March.

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**SAFE DRIVING WEEK**

Every year, the first week of December is Safe Driving Week. This year, the theme is 'Courtesy is Caring'.

In the first eight months of this year, 592 people died and 50,308 were injured in traffic accidents in Ontario.

Think of that next time you step a little hard on the gas ... or get in the car without your seat belt ... or fail to come to a complete stop at a stop sign.

Minor traffic infractions can lead to great big accidents.

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**A LITTLE GOOD NEWS**

There will be no increase in motor vehicle licence fees for the 1979 licensing year. Fees will stay at $30 for a four-cylinder car; $45 for a six-cylinder; and $60 for an eight-cylinder car with an engine displacement of less than 6.5 litres (if over 6.5 litres, the fee is $80).

Up north they'll still get a break. Fee for privately-owned passenger cars or motorcycles in the northern half of the province will remain at $10. Motorcycle fee is $20 in the south.

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**REAQUIRE MACPHERSON HOUSE**

The Lennox and Addington Historical Society has agreed to take back ownership of the Macpherson House from the County, for a nominal fee of $1.

The society is now being incorporated and will be able to obtain grants on its own. The county had taken over the house so various grants could be obtained to help restore it.

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**LOCAL MILLIONAIRES**

Eleanor Graham, Picton, and John Bailey, David Blair, Deborah Davis and Karen Goodchild of Belleville, hit the jackpot in the Provincial lottery draw, with a million-dollar ticket.

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**SANTA NEEDS HELP**

The Prince Edward County Children's Aid Society has sent out letters to all community service organizations in an appeal for help to make Christmas happier for needy families.

Last year, the Society looked after about 40 families at the Christmas season.

Cash donations and new toys are coming in now and gift baskets will be delivered by volunteers from the Picton Rotary Club.

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**TEACHERS' SALARIES**

Secondary school teachers in Hastings have won a 6 per cent wage hike, bringing the average salary to $21,124. Salary minimum for teachers is $13,600, maximum is $27,700.

In Lennox and Addington, secondary school teachers have agreed to salary increases averaging five per cent on a one-year contract. Salaries now range from $12,670 for a first-year teacher in the lowest qualification category, up to $27,330 for a teacher with 11 or more years' experience in the highest of four qualification categories.

In Prince Edward County no agreement has been reached yet. A FAct Finder, G.H.McKechnie, has given the board two reports, setting out in detail the items in dispute between the board and the teachers and also the items already agreed to.

In his report, the fact finder said that all matters in dispute involve monetary benefits in one form or another ... and said that in his opinion the measures offered by the board were very severe, but on the other hand ... the teachers present a package and ... the over-all package becomes much too grandiose.

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**$5 MILLION IN LOST PREMIUMS**

During the fiscal year 1977-78, the Ontario Health Insurance Plan received 27,929 applications from unemployed people for temporary help in paying OHIP premiums. It cost the Ontario Government over $5 million to ensure that health insurance coverage for the unemployed and their families was not discontinued.

That's just another hidden cost of unemployment. When are we going to get this country rolling again so all those people who want to work can?

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## HAPPENINGS

The Annual Christmas Tea and Bazaar, sponsored by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, was held at the Church of the Redeemer on Saturday, December 2. The hall and tables were decorated in the Christmas theme. The lovely weather brought many buyers. Mrs. Mabel Moore greeted the guests and Mrs. Julia Whetstone received admission.

Those who poured tea were Mrs. Joyce Merideth and Mrs. Marie Jones. Servers were Mrs. Kim Suggashire and Mrs. Dorothy McCullough. Mrs. Jean Griffiths helped part time. Mrs. Bertha Boston and Mrs. Nikki Loney were in charge of the table with all the good things to eat. There were three tables loaded with crafts, plants, mittens etc. just right for Christmas gifts. The Ladies at these tables were Mrs. Kay Allin, assisted by her granddaughter, Stephanie Gordon, Mrs. Millie Burliegh and Mrs. Violet Barbier, also Mrs. Kay Hood, who helped with the serving when needed. Mrs. Dorothy Fresque and her granddaughter, Ronda Moore, were busy at the candy table. Mrs. Yvonne Goodwin and Mrs. Stella MacMillan had the white elephant table. The two ladies in the kitchen, Mrs. Clare Jackson and Mrs. Margaret Lindsay, were kept very busy making tea and filling the plates with 'goodies'.

The bazaar was a great success, thanks to the good attendance and to so many 'helping hands', not only members of the group, but friends who asisted.


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# Changes in income tax regulations are being mailed out to farmers

Farmers who file their 1978 income tax will want to watch for changes in farm income tax rules announced in the April 10, 1978 federal budget.

Details of the changes are found in the 1978 Farmer's and Fisherman's Tax Guide, which is being mailed to farmers this month. Copies are also available from district taxation offices.

The key change announced in the April budget involves the so-called 'rollover' provision for incorporated farms and partnerships.

The rules permitting the tax to be deffered on a transfer of farm property by a farmer to his children have been expanded to include transfers of a share in the family farm corporation or an interest in a family farm partnership. The rollover provisions now also apply to transfers of agricultural quotas.

A relatively new program which some farmers may have taken advantage of during 1978 is the employment tax credit. This program allows for tax concessions ranging from $1.50 to $2.00 per hour, depending on region, for certain types of hired labout. Details of this program are available from offices of Canada Employment and Immigration.

Another incentive program which farmers should be aware of is the investment tax credit. Farmers and other businessmen can deduct from five to 10 per cent of most new investments in machinery and buildings from their federal taxes. Like the employment tax credit, the deductible rates vary by economic regions. (Revenut Canada Information Circular 78-4 outlines these regions.)

Prior to March 31, 1977, the investment tax credit was five per cent, regardless of region.

The investment tax credit applies to certain new buildings, machinery or equipment, if they are purchased between June 23, 1975 and July 1, 1980. Eligible investments have been extended to cover current or capital expenditures on scientific research after March 31, 1977.

There is no tax credit for used farm machinery, tile drainage or the cost of acquiring quotas.

Farmers can get more information on the investment tax credit from Revenue Canada's Interpretation Bulletin IT-33I.

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The various institutions will offer three 40-minute information sessions in separate classrooms followed by question and answer periods. Students in Grades 11, 12 and 13 along with their parents are encouraged to attend the event, taking in three information sessions of their choice.

The Ontario Universities Registrars Association sponsors this annual program and it is organized across the Province by the SEcondary School Liaison Offices of the universities.

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SUBJECT — BAHA'I FAITH

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By virtue of a warrant issued by the Mayor of the Town of Deseronto, bearing the date of 10th day of July, 1978, sale of lands in arrears of taxes in the Town of Deseronto will be held in the Deseronto Municipal Office, 331 Main Street, Deseronto at the hour of 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon on Wednesday December 13, 1978 unless the taxes are sooner paid. Notice is hereby given that the list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes has been published in the Ontario Gazette on the 2nd day of September 1978 and that copies of the said list may be had at my offices.

Notice is hereby further given that if any of the said lands remain unsold, an adjourned sale will be held on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, 1979, at the same time and place at which the Municipality may reserve the right to purchase any of the said lands.

Dated at Deseronto this 24th day of July, 1978.

Carman J. Milligan
Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Deseronto

## CHURCH NOTICES

**Deseronto Pentecostal Church**

Pastor — Rev. James Bush

SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
10:30 a.m. — Worship
7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic

Wednesday 7:30 p.m. — Family Night

**Anglican Parish of Quinte**

Rev. J.S. Fletcher

**St. Mark's Deseronto**
Sunday Service — 11:15 a.m.

**Trinity Church, Shannonville**
Service — 9:45 a.m.

**Presbyterian Church of the Redeemer**

Rev. Robt. Jones

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Sunday School — 10:45 a.m.

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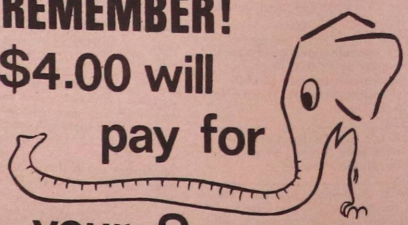

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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

IN THE MATTER OF Section 35 of THE PLANNING ACT (R.S.O. 1970, c.349),
- and -
IN THE MATTER OF an application by The Corporation of the Township of Tyendinaga for approval of its Restricted Area By-Law 77-10.

THE ONTARIO MUNICIPAL BOARD has appointed Tuesday, the 23rd day of January, 1979, at the hour of ten o'clock (local time) in the forenoon at the Township Hall, Melrose, Lot 15, Concession No. 2, Township of Tyendinaga for the hearing of all parties interested in supporting or opposing this application.

In the event the decision is reserved, persons taking part in the hearing may request a copy of the decision from the presiding Board Member. Such decision will be mailed to you when available.

DATED at the Township of Tyendinaga this 4th day of December, 1978.

W.J. Walsh, Clerk
Township of Tyendinaga

Explanatory Note: The purpose of By-Law No. 77-10 is to regulate the use of land and character, location and use of buildings and structures and furthermore may prohibit certain uses of land and the erection and use of certain buildings and structures within various areas of the Corporation of the Township of Tyendinaga in accordance with the Official Plan for the Hastings County Planning Area.

By-Law No. 77-10 will serve to regulate and restsrict development within the Township which may create an adverse effect on existing areas or the development of land for a use which may be detrimental to the future orderly development of an area.

The provisions of the By-Law will apply throughout all of the defined areas within the corporate limits of the Township of Tyendinaga. No land shall be used and no building or structure shall be erected, altered or used in any manner except in conformity with the provisions of the By-Law. However, notwithstanding the foregoing statement, the By-Law will not apply to prevent or hinder the continued use of any land, building or structure, which on the date of the passing of the By-Law was legally used or erected for any purpose prohibited by the By-Law, so long as it continues to be used for that purpose.


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In the area of adult non-fiction there are two game books, 'Hoyle's Rules of Games' which details the rules of most indoor pastimes and 'The Game Book' which suggests some new activities. For Christmas there is Edward Heath's 'Carols' with music for popular and lesser known carols as well as antique illustrations. There is 'Pipes and Tobacco' which describes the history and types of both the above; 'Fireplaces and Woodstoves' of interest this time of year; and 'Finding and Fixing the Older Home' an excellent how-to book.

For the kids there is 'A Child's Guide to Looking at Paintings' which is an enjoyable introduction to the world of art. There are two animal books as well, one called 'Animal Clothing' that illustrates the different body coverings of living things and 'Sharptooth, A Year of the Beaver.'


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# Deseronto Minor Hockey News

**JUVENILE**

The Deseronto Juvenile Allstars held their first 'share-the-wealth Bingo, Sunday at the new Lions Hall on Main Street. The turnout was extremely good considering the poor weather conditions.

Prizes averaged abut $14 a game for the two-hour event which included two free games, each with a $10 prize and a raffle.

The proceeds will go to help cover ice rental and travelling expenses for the team. The coach, Danny Punchard; manager, Gord Campbell, and trainer, Carl Beattie and players would like to thank all those who volunteered their efforts.

We would like to give special thanks to the Lions Club for the use of their hall and bingo equipment. The team will be holding another share-the-wealth bingo on January 28. Admission is free.

**PEE WEE**

Winner of the 50-50 draw for Monday Nov. 27, was Bud Meeks, $44. Friday, Dec. 1, was Mrs. Reid, $49.

Winner of the home made afgham draw on Dec. 2 was Lynn O'Brien of RR 2, Demorestvile.

We would like to thank everyone for their support as these monies go for ice rental of the Legion Pee Wee team.

On Saturday, Dec. 2, the Legion Pee Wee's took in a tournament in Picton. Each team member received pennants from the Picton team members and crests from the tournament. A most enjoyable time was had by all.

**DESERONTO DROPS BOTH TO BELLEVILLE**

On Wednesday, Nov. 25, Deseronto hosted Belleville. Our Legion Pee Wees lost this one 7-3. Our first goal came late in the first period. Bobby Thompson got this goal unassisted. Bobby Thompson got the next goal from Billy McMechan. Steve Cassidy got our final goal of the game from Kyle Brant.

On Sunday, Dec. 3, Belleville hosted us. This time we lost 10-3. Our first goal didn't come until the second period. Drew Vick got this one from Doug Perrier and Kevin Hill. Deseronto's second goal was scored by Kevin Hill. from Bobby Thompson. Our final goal was from Bobby Thompson, Kevin Hill assisted.

**ATOMS WIN GAME NUMBER 11**

Wellington playing a return match in Deseronto against the Van Vlacks Atoms was a well played and low scoring game as compared to Friday's game.

The Deseronto Atoms dominated the first and second periods by outscoring Wellington 5 to 1.

At 9.38, Bobby Thompson scored unassisted. Bobby got his second goal at 7.54 assisted by Kevin Hill. Mark Loney scored at 2.36 from Bobby Thompson and MIke Van Vlack, which ended the first period. Deseronto 3, Wellington 0.

Deseronto scored the first two goals in the second period, one at 5.54 Shain Smith unassisted, and the other at 5.19, Kevin Hill unassisted. Wellington scored the final goal to end the second period 5 to 1.

Wellington played better in the third but fell short by only getting 2 goals but they also allowed Deseronto to score 2. Deseronto 6 and 7 goals were scored by Kevin Hill assisted by Mike VanVlack, and Bobby Thompson his 3 of the game to end the game 7 to 3 for Deseronto.

Each team had 6 penalties in a game which everyone said the refereeing was good.

Next Atom game will be Saturday, Dec. 9, with Picton vs Deseronto at 4 p.m. See you there.

**DESERONTO 9,WELLINGTON 8**

Friday December 1, Deseronto Atoms travelled to Wellington for a game which displayed some good and some sloppy hockey playing from both teams.

In the first period, Wellington took the lead until Bobby Thompson scored two goals, 7.28 and 7.05 to give Deseronto the lead 2 to 1. At 4.35, Mike Van Vlack scored, then Wellington scored 2 more to end the first period 3 to 3.

The second period, Deseronto scored 2 goals, one at 3.27, Kevin Hill, and 2.04, Bobby Thompson. Wellington scored to end the second 5 to 4.

The third period showed a lot of goal scoring with a total of 8 goals scored. Deseronto scored 4 goals, the first at 13.42 Mike Van Vlack; 13.34, Kevin Hill scored his second; 7.29 Kevin Hill scored his hat trick and at 1.13 Bobby Thompson scored his fourth of the game. Deseronto assists went to Mark Lone, 2; Mike Van Vlack, Ricky Marlow, Bobby Thompson, and Danny McConnell with one each.

Final score Deseronto 9, Wellington 8.

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Among the dignitaries at Picton's Santa Claus Parade, were Jim Taylor, MPP and former P.E. warden Jack Wells, sitting up in this old car. But the real dignitary was Santa himself.

## Some tips on buying a Christmas tree

Shipments of Ontario-grown Christmas trees to urban centers have already begun, and it won't be long before they are on sale at corner lots.

When purchasing a Christmas tree, an important consideration is the length of time you plan to keep the tree indoors, says Burke McNeill, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food extension horticulturist.

'A Scotch pine is ideal if you plan to keep the tree for a long time,' he says. 'The needle drop is minimal, and it can be kept indoors safely for about three weeks.'

Although spruce and fir are also popular, they don't last as long indoors.

'These trees tend to dry out more quickly, and the needle drop is heavy,' says Mr. McNeill.

Christmas trees can become fire hazards indoors if they are allowed to dry out. Mr McNeill suggests setting the base of the tree in water to maintain moisture.

If you are planning to cut your own tree this year, don't make the common mistake of decorating it before it has a chance to warm up.

'A tree taken indoors from the cold has very brittle needles,' explains Mr. McNeill. 'If the needles are disturbed while the tree is cold, they will fall off.'

Most of Ontario's Christmas trees are grown in northern Ontario. Christmas trees take about six to ten years to reach the popular two-metre height.

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# Picton parade the best ever after slow start

There had been some anxiety in Picton over the fate of the annual Santa Claus Parade. Not too much interest was shown in the early planning stages.

But, when the parade rolled down Main Street, Saturday morning, in the cold sunshine, there was no scarcity of floats and exhibits. There were over 70 entries and the parade was one of the best ever.

There were floats from the schools ... there were drum majorettes and bands from in and out of town ... the Dairy Princess, Janet Devries waved from the top of a large milk truck ... clowns on foot and in midget cars delighted the young watchers ... and official dignitaries waved from cars.

Where the horses in the parade left their mark, marchers carefully parted ranks to keep their feet clean.

The parade started at the Co-op and ended at the Fair Grounds.

Judges of the winning entries were Milt Fennell, Tom Mara and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Renaud.

Winning entries were: best commercial, Bank of Nova Scotia, Ray's Electric, Picton Go-Kart; best organization: Belleville Shrine Club, Prince Edward Heights, (Area 8), Prince Edward Region Conservation Authority; best community effort: Prince Edward Horse and Pony Club, Clydesdale team owned by Melvin and Brian Flake, Bush donkey team,; best school: Sophiasburgh Central, South Marysburgh, North Marysburgh; best marching group: Stirling Legionettes, Kawartha Kavaliers, Kinsmen Boys and Girls Band.

What are they waiting for? The Santa Claus Parade in Picton is about to start.

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# Is subsidized day care needed in Prince Edward County

must go through the welfare administrator. This is Evelyn Beaumont. She took the application to County Council for us, to arrange purchase of service between Prince Edward County and the Provincial Government,' said Jewel Vince, who was responsible for getting the centre set up.

'County Council can't do anything about it until the new Council is in,' Mrs. Vince said. 'We will be discussing this again.'

We are not in danger of folding when the grant runs out,' she continued. 'The grant paid for part of the wages for the first year of operation. We employ a supervisor, two teachers, one assistant teacher part-time, a part-time cook and substitutes who can fill in.'

The centre provides day care for children of working parents at a cost of $6 a day per child, with an additional $3 a day for a second child from the same family. Mrs. Vince indicated rates might have to go up when the grant runs out.

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'There is very little amount available for capital development of day nurseries ... acquiring property, etc.,' said Gerry Dooda of the Ontario Ministry of Community and Social Services in Belleville. 'But there is a mechanism to provide assistance.'

Since the Prince Edward Day Care Centre is already housed, there would be no capital development required at this time.

'A municipality can operate a day care centre or purchase the service for a subsidized client,' Mr. Dooda said. 'Say the weekly cost is $40 and the family can provide $20 of it (there is a means test), the municipality could provide the other $20 a week and get an 80% subsidy from the Provincial Government.'

'It needs prior approval for a municipality to engage in this. The municipality could approach the Provincial Government for approval.'

Another suggstion he made was that a charitable organization, approved under the Day Nurseries Act, or a non-profit, incorporated organization listed under the act could also approach the Provincial Government for subsidy approval.

'I didn't know about that,' said Jewel Vince.

Mr. Dooda also pointed out that when a municipality has Day Care Centre which is getting subsidy, there can be an extension of the day care centre in a private home day care situation.

Belleville does have a municipal Day Care Centre. Neither Napanee nor the County of Lennox and Addington have this subsidized municipal help.

# Deseronto Legion News

BY ART HILL

The weekend of the 18th and 19th of November was a very successful event, with Bay Ridges as our guests. Everyone had a very enjoyable time. The two Steak and Wine Draws were won by two ladies from Bay Ridges. The card games were enjoyed by all.

The Branch 280 Ladies Auxiliary are to be commended on their splendid work in providing the meals over the weekend.

We have quite a number of things happening: Dec. 11, 8 p.m. executive meeting; Dec. 12, Legion Turkey Bingo; Dec. 16, 8 p.m., regular meeting; Dec. 17, Legion Children's Christmas Party for children up to 10 years.

The new air filters have been installed and have made all the difference...no smoke fumes downstairs now.

Dues are still in the Early Bird Period. Please make the effort.

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# Co-ordination is the keyword in low-flying aircraft formations

Low flying formations of CC130 Hercules aircraft have been a com mon sight in the skies over Eastern Ontario recently. These heavy transport aircraft of the Canadian Armed Forces are employed in massive air drop exercises from the Trenton air base. The exercises, callled TALEX (for Tactical Airlift Exercise), occur about six times each year at Trenton. Previously held in Alberta, they were moved east last year in conjunction with the move of the Special Service Force now based at Petawawa.

Six Hercules aircraft and crews from 435 'Chinthe' Squadron of Edmonton and 436 'Canucks Unlimited' Squadron of Trenton practise procedures in about 48 sorties over a five-day period. More than 200 men are engaged in the exercises which are designed to maintain the Canadian Forces' proficiency in the air drop role in support of the Special Service Frce and in keeping with Canada's commitment to NATO to maintain a highly mobile integral unit to support the Northern Flank of NATO in Norway should the need arise.

Co-ordination is the keyword in this type of operation. Preparation of parachutes, each designed for a different task, is the job of the Tactical Air Movements Unit who fit the proper 'chute to each load, whether it be an 8,000 pound truck or a trooper in full combat gear. The various loads are prepared on special pallets which fit exactly into the cavernous dimensions of the Hercules cargo compartments, where they are tied down by special teams of the Mobile Air Movements Units.

The aircrews, all specially trained for this exacting job, then fly in loose formations over preplanned routes at low altitudes that affords them maximum protection from detection. The most common routes are contained in the triangle formed by highway 11 in the west, highway 17 to the north and highway 401 to the south. This is basically the CFB Trenton authorized low flying area. Special effort is made in route selection to avoid populous areas, small airports and farms that specialize in animal husbandry. The actual drops themselves usually take place at Mountain View airport in Prince Edward County or at Camp Borden near Barrie. In future some drops will be made at Petawa. Special 'Notices to Airmen' are published well in advance of the exercise and every caution is taken on board the aircraft through radar and electronic systems to avoid private planes who are usually operating well above the Hercules formations.

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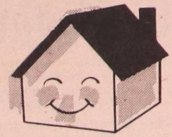

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It's hard to get youngsters to sit still for a photo when there is all the magic of the Christmas tree behind them. Teacher Gena Hyatt lines up the pre-schoolers in the Sophiasburgh School library.

# Lower dollar value may help exports for local company

Here's a first for Deseronto that a lot of people may not know about ... the Canada Optical Plant was the first factory on the North American continent to make frames for glasses the way they are made in France.

'My grandfather, Percy Hermant, started Imperial Optical in 1900,' said John Hermant, who handles the marketing of the frames made here.

'By 1964, he had a business across the country and figured that by getting into frame making he could provide his own frames.'

So he took over the plant here that had been started by a fellow called Rickwood.'

Rickwood had bought the old creamery and a hangar building from Trenton was added on to it. It's the long, narrow part of the present plant.

When the Hermants bought the plant, they went to France and Italy to learn how to make frames. 'My father, Sydney, got into it,' John said, 'and Neil Epp really got us going.'

Plastic is something everyone is familiar with nowadays but the first plastics were nitrate plastics and were highly explosive ... they would burst into flames if they got near a candle. Working with them was done in solid concrete buildings, single storey, like a 'bunch of bunkers' If one blew up, it didn't take all the buildings with it.

'We use acetate plastics now,' Mr. Hermant said. 'It's much better to work with.'

The company provides work for 40 people, and 'It's not running at capacity yet,' he said. 'One of our objectives this year is to export more.'

They supply all the frames for Imperial Optical and most of the wholesale firms in Canada. And they sell to England, the United States, West Indies, Holland and New Zealand.

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# Deseronto council cuts committees to streamline work load

One of the first steps taken by Deseronto Council at its inaugural meeting was to cut down the number of committees from seven to five, in an effort to streamline council's business.

Reeve B. Johnson pointed out that last year they had looked into this possibility. A new by-law will have to be passed, retroactive to December 1 to cover the change.

Members of the committee chosen to name the new committee members were, Reeve, B. Johnson, Deputy Reeve D. Martin, and councillors C. Zieman and Bill Higgins.

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Members of the five new committees are: Municipal Administration, Roger Cole (chairman), C. Zieman, R. Graydon and A. Blayney; Street and Parks, B. Johnson (chairman), A. Blayney, R. Cole and D. Martin; Fire and Police, C. Zieman (chairman), R. Cole, Lena Cummings and B. Johnson; Residential and Industrial Development, D. Martin (chairman), R. Graydon, B. Higgins and C. Zieman; Community Recreation, B. Higgins (chairman), L. Cummings, D. Martin and B. Johnson.

The new system of five committees will be tried over the next year to see if it is effective.

In his inaugural speech, which opened the council meeting, returning Mayor, John Neal pointed out the improvements in the look of the town as a result of by-laws passed last year. He also mentioned that the paving and storm sewer work had helped in alleviating the surface water problems.

Plans to encourage new industry would be furthered by the would be furthered by the establishment of the new committee on Residential and Industrial development.

As for water rates, he said, 'We don't intend to let the water cost issue die.'

# What caused the smirks at council

What was so funny at the inaugural meeting of Deseronto's Town Council Monday night that it raised smirks and a few giggles?

Topless waitresses and pornography ... that's what!

Council had received a request from the Town of Oakville for an endorsement of Oakville's resolution to back us a submission from a local Parish which suggested that the town spearhead a drive to change or create a law in Ontario which will prevent, forbid and stop the practice in Ontario of topless or bottomless waitresses, dancers, strippers and nude or partially nude floor shows etc., in bars, restaurants, or other places of entertainment ... this law should also ban pornography on public newsstands, television, in movies, magazines and other media.

'We wish to put an end to the exploitation of women and sex as a means to financial gain by any business or individual,' the Parish submission said.

Oakville is urging that all municipalities take steps to get the Province of Ontario to prohibit such practices.

Deseronto Council endorsed the resolution, after a comment from Lena Cummings, the lone woman on council, that, 'We've got enough of it on the bookshelves now.'

## Christmas store hours

The stores in Deseronto will be staying open late during the days before Christmas.

Starting on Monday, December 18, the stores will be open until 9:00 p.m. each day until Saturday December 23, when they will close at 5:30 p.m.

Most stores will be closed December 24, 25 and 26, but will be open for business as usual all day Wednesday, December 27.

# Canada-U.S. sign lakes agreement

The new Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement has been signed, by Canada's Secretary of State for External Affairs, Don Jamieson, and the United States Secretary of State, Cyrus V ance.

Time alone will tell how much clean-up it will accomplish in our joint waters but according to Canada's Minister of Environment it does express important

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Fran Payne pins a flower on retiree Lou Green at Canada Optical's Christmas party. Lou, of Deseronto, worked on temple parts for 20 years, retiring in 1969.

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# EDITORIAL

Well, the big Christmas orgy of buying is just about over with for another year.

We've been bombarded by the advertisers on TV, radio, and in the press, to buy ... buy ... buy ...

We've been pushed around in the Christmas crowds, running ourselves ragged, looking for ... perfumes, to make someone smell better ... gadgets to 'lighten the work load' ... clothes and underclothes to make someone look jazzier or sexier ... playthings for the kids that they can't break before Boxing Day

Maybe you didn't have time to check all the items when you bought them to see where they were made.

But take a good look at them now, when you're wrapping them up ... were they made in Canada?

If they were made in Canada, you've helped create jobs for some of your fellow Canadians.

'The impact o' holiday purchasing can be huge,' says Ontario's Minister of Industry and Tourism, Larry Grossman.

'If each family buys enough Canadian made goods this Christmas to create just one more day's work per family, the total result will be more than 32,000 full-time jobs for Canada.'

If none of the things you bought for Christmas giving were made in Canada, you haven't been much help to the ecomony, have you???

# Letters to the Editor

Editor:
The Quinte Scanner

May I use this medium to express deep appreciation and gratitude to the people of Deseronto for the fine contribution they made to the CNIB's recent campaign for funds?

The result far exceeded expectations and serves as a true indication of the attitude of our townspeople when they feel the cause is right and the appeal worthy of their full co-operation.

A special 'Thank you' goes out to our town council for spearheading the campaign, to B.Q. Graphics for 'forgetting' to submit a bill for the printing they did for us, to the clergy of the town for assistance provided through their respective church bulletins and from the pulpit, and to Quinte Distributors, Canadian Legion Branch 280 and I.D.A. Drugs for donations made independent of the canvass.

I would be remiss indeed if special mention was not made of the tremendous effort put forth by the local Lions Club. In addition to making a generous donation as a club, as well as contributions made individually through a collection taken at one of their meetings, the Lions organized the campaign and conducted the complete canvass themselves.

To all who contributed, on behalf of the visually impaired, the CNIB and your local Advisory Board, thankful acknowledgement is reiterated.

It is this type of generosity and willingness to help our cause that makes our efforts as volunteers on the Advisory Board worthwhile, and if I may conclude on a personal note, makes me proud to be a citizen of Deseronto.

Sincerely, Don Lindsay, Chairman
Hastings & Prince Edward Advisory Board
C.N.I.B.

Dear Madam:

Re. *In Defense of Complainers*

Referring to the letter *Napanee Hospital Praised* mentioning 'chronic complainers' and that it is 'possibly a matter of being given 'too much, too early in life' (which in most cases really means children who took advantage of what was offered and also studied hard), it is possible that the writer of that letter has never experienced the **instant hostility** which we, who have had 'too much' often meet.

Try to imagine how you would feel if you walked into a room or office, or shop, and saw that flash of 'instant hostility' in someone's eyes. The person has never seen you before but they instantly recognize that you had 'had too much' and for that reason alone that person is going to give you the very minimum of service.

Naturally, we are 'chronic complainers'. We have to be in order to survive in this strange new world.

Sincerely, Eleanor Jackson Kingston.

## Bird's Eye View

by Orville S. Greenbush

I seen in a book the other day how that great big windmill what the govermint spent hundreds of thousands of dollars to build out to them islands somewheres off the coast, went and blew down.

Seems that somebody or other forgot to put in an important bit, so that when the wind got up a bit strong, down she come. Still reckon they'd be better off building one in the Queen's Park, all that hot air blowing around would surely generate some power somehow.

Talking about mistakes that the govermint makes, I saw in the same book how the little cheese factories are going out of business, on account of not being able to get enough milk.

Seems that if'n they was to make copies of fancy cheese, like your bree and stilted and such, they could get all the milk they wanted, same as Kraft does. It's just fer making Canadian Cheddar that there ain't enough milk, it comes at the bottom of the list.

Now, I heard as they're turning orders away from England and Europe for cheddar, can't even fill the home market, but still they don't get milk. I started in to figger out how many little cheese factories have closed down around here, and it sure makes an impressive list. What really don't make sense about the whole thing is that while the cheddar factories is screaming for milk, the farmers that produce more than their quota get penalized. Don't make no sense at all. Why can't them farmers ship their milk to the cheese factories? Everybody knows that it's all very well to have quotas, and that the marketing board has done some good in levelling out dairy farmer's income, but it stands to sense that you can't tell some big black and white cow that she's only to produce half as much today as she did yesterday, on account of being over-productive.

Anyways, I suppose it ain't my problem, I don't have no dairy cows no more, and Elma is the one that messes around making cheese that usually goes to the chickens on account of being too bad to eat. Still and all, it grieves me to see the little producers going under. Time was when the cheese from those little places was real good.


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## TOWN OF DESERONTO NOTICE RE SNOW REMOVAL

The following is an excerpt from the Town of Deseronto Traffic By-law and all residents are asked to take note:

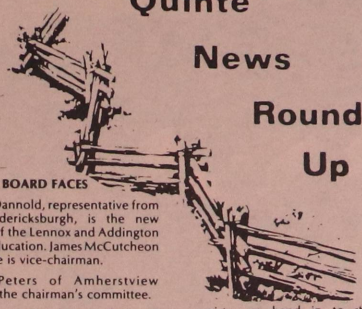
**6. GENERALLY FOR SNOW REMOVAL**

(1) No vehicle shall be parked between the hours of 2:00 A.M. and 8:00 A.M. on any street in the town of Deseronto from December 15th to March 31st inclusive.

(2) That any vehicle parked in contravention of this by-law may be removed at the owner's expense and be subject to a fine of $10.00 for each offence.

(3) A person charged with an offence under this section may within forty eight hours of being charged with the offence, pay the amount of the fine as provided by this by-law to the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Deseronto.

# Quinte News Round Up



**NINE NEW BOARD FACES**

Roy McDannold, representative from North Fredericksburgh, is the new chairman of the Lennox and Addington Board of Education. James McCutcheon of Napanee is vice-chairman.

Eldon Peters of Amherstview completes the chairman's committee.

There are nine new faces on the board this year. All attended the inaugural meeting at which the new chairman was named.

**CAN STILL TURN GUNS IN**

The deadline for allowing people to register or hand in to the police weapons considered restricted or prohibited has been extended for two more weeks.

November was amnesty month but Jack Ellis, MP Hastings, reports that the solicitor general has said no charges will be laid against people who bring in weapons during the next two weeks.

**AT FARM MEETING**

Among delegates to the annual meeting of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture were Robert Williams, Ian Balsilie, John Thompson and Ken Parks of Prince Edward County.

**CONSERVATION MEETING**

Representatives of the 38 conservation authorities in Ontario attended a three-day meeting in Timmins to discuss water control, community relations and land registration.

Resource Manager Peter Gill of the Napanee Region Conservation Authority was one of the delegates.

**MORE 'EXPENSIVE' ARBITRATION???**

Report has it that a Toronto lawyer has been named by the Education Relations Commission to assist the Prince Edward County Board of Education and the elementary school teachers in contract negotiations.

Perhaps if the teachers had to score themselves on a report card like they do the children in their care, they'd have to come up with a big fat 'F' or lower on the section 'Co-operates well'.

**FAIL FIRE REGULATIONS**

New rules, incorporated in changes in fire regulations, have caused problems for the Prince Edward County Board of Education.

The portables, in use at the Picton Collegiate, do not come up to the new standards, which set a distance of at least 40 feet from the main building and a distance of at least 20 feet between each building. In addition, they must have two doors.

**HOW MUCH GORE DO YOU REPORT??**

Psychology professor Dr. G.S.Wilde, an internationally-known specialist on traffic accidents, found in a test sample that an average of only about 2% of traffic accidents were publicized and, because of this, drivers underestimate the problem.

Reporting accidents might possibly save some of the 5,000 killed every year, he thinks.

Reporting accidents in any detail is difficult in a newspaper. If you give too many details, about the driver's actions, you're accused of prejudging the case. You'll get the insurance companies down your back if you even imply that their insured wasn't driving properly. And, if you try another approach, showing the gore and blood in words and pictures, you're accused of being morbid.

**LOCAL HOSPITALS ACCREDITED**

The Canadian Council on Hospital Accreditation has advised the Lennox and Addington County General Hospital in Napanee, and the Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital in Picton that they have been awarded Accreditation status for a period of three years.

The awards are the result of recent visits to the hospitals by field staff representatives and a further assessment by the Board of Directors of the Council.

The survey covers all aspects of the conduct of the hospitals as they relate to the quality of patient care. Criteria for Accreditation standards include detailed reviews and analysis of the manner in which responsibilities are carried out by the Board of Governors, the medical staff, administration, nursing staff and other allied departments.

The Prince Edward Hospital has had accreditation since 1966 and the Napanee hospital since 1970.

**BAND MAKES GOOD SHOWING**

For the third year in a row, the Band members of Pinecrest elementary school in Bloomfield took part in the Canada Band Directors Association Festival in Belleville.

There were 16 high school bands but Pinecrest was the only elementary band to participate. The youngsters were given a good rating.

Band director is Eric Broadley.

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# Ontario weather forecast: drifting snow, icy patches and reduced visibility during the Holiday Season.

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Poor visibility combined with heavy traffic throughout the Holiday Season means you must be in good condition to drive under these conditions. So must your car. So keep it in good repair. And keep yourself alert at all times. If you drink, don't drive. And always watch out for the other drivers. Assume there's trouble ahead even when conditions look safe. Help make sure you and your family will be here to enjoy another great Ontario Holiday Season.

**James Snow,**
**Minister of Transportation and Communications**
**R. Roy McMurtry,**
**Attorney General**

Province of Ontario
William Davis, Premier

# Is U.S. post office mailing pornography

We've just had a long press re lease informing us that Canada Post will be issuing at least 39 new stamps in 1979, including five new definitives and 34 commemoratives.

Here are some of the new pictures we will b e getting on our stamps next year: Fundy National Park, the Quebec Carnival, a white pine, a turtle, a whale, a wilderness park in the Yukon, a picture promoting the use of the postal code, French Canadian poet Emile Nelligan, writer Frederick Philip Grove, historical figures Colonel John By and Colonel Charles-Michel de Salaberry, flowers of the 10 provinces and the two territories, the Women's Field Hockey World Championships and the Canoe-Kayak World Champion-ships, four stamps picturing types of shelter used b y native people of the North, Christmas and Year of the Child stamps, and four on the contributions made to Canadian development by aircraft.

All the new pictures in the world won't make the postal rate increa ses any easier to take. But, at least, if you don't like the pictures you get you can take them back and change them, like some people are now doing in the United States.

Seems the Christmas stamps there have a naked baby Jesus on them and some people have taken them back because they say 'The U.S.Postal Service is selling indecent material.' They are being given stamps with reindeer on them instead.

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While most Ontario farmers are finishing up the harvest, Christmas tree growers are getting ready to begin. Many growers use balers to package trees ensuring top quality.
Photo by the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food

# Agriculture Canada gets funny letters

When the lights go out in the information services of Agriculture Canada in Ottawa on the last working day of 1978, more than 260,000 letters will have been answered.

That's an average of about 1,000 for each working day.

The daily selection of letters received covers a large variety of topics. It may include requests for information on killer bees, fruit varieties, farm labour, smoking meat, land use, animal care, crop varieties, grants, incsect control and aquaculture.

The branch receives mail from almost every country in the world but the bulk of it comes from Canada and the United States.

Out of this large volume of mail the occasional letter raises eyeb rows and may even produce a laugh or two.

Among the unusual letters and requests received this year were the following:

A professor in Argentina wrote for information on dentures for cows -- a problem rarely encountered in Canada.

One foreign student wanted 'lovely books and photos' but he neglected to say of what.

A couple in Virginia wrote to say they had heard that parts of Canada were either being given away or sold cheaply to people who wanted to farm or settle in an area known as 'Pickle Crow'.

Another letter from the U.S. brought a smile when the writer asked for publication K1A 0C7, which is the information services' postal code.

However, not all unusual correspondence comes from foreign sources.

An Ontario woman asked the department to send her some crocus bulbs at $1.50 and not $1.75. She also requested other assorted flowers and closed with the fact that she needed 100 pounds of peat moss at $5.00 and this stipulation -- 'Please see that I get them a ll, at such a terrible price -- but no more.'

The reply was a polite explanation that Agriculture Canada is not in the business of selling peat moss or flowers.

But not all of the mail is in this lighter vein.

An embassy in Washington, D.C., wanted details about a peat-bog tractor developed at the Engineering and Statistical Research Institute in Ottawa. The tractor was designed to be built at local level machine shops. The plans and specifications were sent.

A woman in B.C. who wanted information on ginseng cultivation was sent a fact sheet and the address of a dealer who was known to have seeds or plants.

Another writer in Ontario was supplied with information on growing chicory and was also told there is none grown commercially in Canada.

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FOR SALE - 1,000 Bales of mixed hay at $1.00 per bale. 12 Leghorn hens, laying. Napanee, 354-4798. 14

FOR SALE - 1974 Pinto Station Wagon. Good condition. Best offer. 476-4614. 2

FOR SALE - newly upholstered 3-pc. sectional chesterfield with chair; newly upholstered chesterfield with chair; a foot stool; also second hand chesterfiels and chair. Mrs. E. Wheeler, Box 354, Napanee. 4

FOR SALE - one electric motor, 220 volt, 3 phase, 1/3 HP. Call evenings, Napanee 354-4256. 3

FOR SALE - 1 hide-a-way sofa with King Koil mattress, like new; 1 dinette set, table & 4 chairs (ladder back), like new; 1 ironing board; indoor folding clothes dryer; 1 weaving board; several pantsuits; evening dress; winter coat with leather trim; 1 rust coloured purse; 1 pair high boots, size 7-7½, good shape; 1 new evening bag, never used. Can be seen at 88 Centre St., Deseronto or phone 396-2297. 9

FOR SALE - Registered half Arab mare. Sorrel with white markings. 55 inches high. $450.00. No Dealers; Horse buggy and harness, complete $175.00; TO GIVE AWAY 2 gentle kittens. Call 476-2271.

FOR SALE - antique McClary 'Eighty' cook stove. 6 lid cook top, warming oven, hot water jacket. All accessories. Beautiful condition, $1,500.00; Picnic table $25.00; wood and coal McClary's Parlour Furnacette, $325.00. Call 476-2271. 5

FOR SALE - Dishwasher, top loader, harvest gold, needs $45 repair, sacrifice $75.00; blue leatherette bed chesterfield, good condition, $100.00; food waste disposal Garburator $70.00. Call 476-2271. 5

FOR SALE - set of bunk beds, like new with new mattresses. Call Napanee 354-2726 after 6 p.m. 5

FOR SALE - 1 bathroom corner sink, 1 gas heater with pipes, 1 oil heater with pipes, 1 stainless steel kitchen sink, never used., 2 rangettes. Phone 1-544-6872. 4

FOR SALE - '75 Dodge Swinger, PS, PB, 2-door, vinyl roof, recently painted, new tires, new shocks, certified $2,900. Call Napanee 354-9215. 4

FOR SALE - Findlay oil stove. Call 396-2927. 51

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE - 100 gal. oil tank complete with shut off valve, filter gauge, filter cap and saddles. Phone 396-2605. 5

FOR SALE - Large (36 in.) Sunbrust Franklin with grate and screen in excellent condition. $175.00. Call 476-2836 after 6:30 p.m. 2

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FOR RENT - 1 bedroom apartment in Deseronto. Frig, stove, carpet. Utilities paid. Phone 396-3554 after 2:30 p.m. 14

FOR RENT - In Napanee, one bedroom apartment, $212 monthly, heat, hydro and cable included. Available immediately. Telephone 354-2684 or 354-4050. 15

## BIRTHS

**Sherman** - Bob and Joanne (nee Jackson) are delighted to announce the arrival of their first children, twin girls, Amanda Margaret, 3 lb. 3½ oz. at 1:37 p.m. and Angela Marie, 3 lb. at 1:46 p.m. at Kingston General Hospital on Sunday, December 3, 1978.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jackson, Napanee and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Sherman of Deseronto.

## MARRIAGES

Mrs. Joan Claus of Deseronto wishes to announce the marriage of her daughter Valerie Jean to Kurt Stanley Moon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moon of Deseronto.

The marriage took place at 3:00 o'clock in St. Mark's Anglican Church on Saturday, December 9, 1978.

The maid-of-honour was Miss Kim Green of Deseronto. Best man was Phil Gordanier of Deseronto. Rev. Fletcher performed the ceremony.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

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10:30 a.m. — Worship

7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic

Wednesday 7:30 p.m. — Family Night

**Anglican Parish of Quinte**

Rev. J.S. Fletcher

**St. Mark's Deseronto**

December 17 at 10:30 a.m.

**The Order for Confirmation**

The Rt. Rev. H.G. Hill, Bishop

**Holy Trinity, Shannonville will worship with St. Mark's**

(Note time of Service)

**Presbyterian Church of the Redeemer**

Rev. Robt. Jones

Worship Service — 9 :30 a.m.

Sunday School — 10:45 a.m.

## BAHA'I FAITH

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'Bestir yourselves, O people, for the promised hour is now come. Beware lest ye fail to apprehend its import.'

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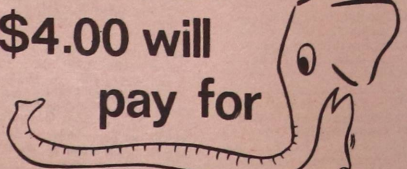

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The Napanee Lions Club played host to the blind people of the area Monday night. From left to right are John Crawford, George Maracle and Mrs. Dolores Doreen all of R.R. 1, Deseronto and all registered with CNIB. To the right of Santa is James Thibierge, chairman of Lennox and Addington Advisory Board and on the extreme right is Roy Lasperence, Regional Director. All invited guests were given gifts by Santa Claus, compliments of the Lions. Transportation was provided by Deseronto Lions. Photo by Don Lindsay.

## Frames made here go all round the world

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'With the Canadian dollar down, we are competitive in foreign markets.'

The 40 employees, retirees and their guests were entertained by the company at a Christmas party in the Legion Hall in Deseronto on Friday evening.

Master of Ceremonies was Al Fraser, manager at the plant and president of the Canadian Legion Branch 280 in Deseronto.

An inscribed clock was presented to Don Kimmett of Dundas Street, who is the latest to join the Pioneer Club after 25 years of service. Presentation was made by John Hermant.

Among the guests were, 25-year club members, Victor Brant, Claborne Tompkins, Joan Claus, Helen Hudson, Nora Tinney, Mabel Moore and Ella Buchanan; retirees Lou Green, Myrtle Babcock, Ed Harvey and Margaret Harvey.

## Library Notes

In the spirit of the Christmas season the library has a gift for you. For the next two weeks from December 11 to 29 no overdue fines will be charged. Rummage through your homes please for books and magazines which should have been returned to the library. All fines will be forgiven; no questions will be asked, or dirty looks given!

If you have relatives in the Camden Valley area, you may be interested in the book detailing its history, 'To Their Heirs Forever'. The library also has Jack Higgins new suspense novel, 'Day of Judgement'. Beautiful photography of the far north abounds in Bruemmer's 'The Life of the Harp Seal'.

Please note that the library will be closed Christmas week from Christmas to New Years, so stock up on your *reading for the holidays.*

## Seniors' income to go up on Jan 1

The guaranteed income level for Ontario's senior citizens is going to go up o n January 1.

'This increase in the GAINS guaranteed income level ensures that Ontario pensioners will benefit fully from the recently announced federal payments, without any reduction in Ontario GAINS payments,' Ontario's Minister of Revenue, Lorne Maeck, said.

The increase amounts to $20 monthly to single pensioners and $10 monthly to married pensioners who receive the Guaranteed Income Supplement.

'Single and married GAINS recipients will continue to receive a maximum monthly payment of $39 and $52, respectiv ely. Had we not increased the guaranteed income level, monthly GAINS payments for 244,000 Ontario senior citizens would have been reduced as a result of the federal increase,' Mr. Maeck said.

He explained that an additional 2,500 senior citizens who do not qualify for the federal pension and supplement will receive a monthly increase equivalent to the federal increase. It is estimated this will cost the Province $600,000 annually.

## HELP WANTED

### COUNTY OF HASTINGS

Applications will be received by the undersigned until 4:30 p.m. Local Time on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20th, 1978 for the following two (2) positions.

**OFFICE AND RESIDENT ASSISTANT AT**
Hastings Manor Home for the Aged
Belleville, Ontario

**DUTIES:** To perform general office work, as well as, stock and inventory control. To supervise Fire Prevention Programme including staff training and practices. To provide transportation for residents using County owned van. To carry out other such duties as may be assigned from time to time.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Should be in good health and of good character, have ability and willingness to learn and perform required work with minimum supervision, should be neat and courteous, should be patient, respectful and gentle in dealing with the elderly, and should be able to get along well with other employees and the general public. Previous office experience would be a definite asset.

**SALARY:** $8,000 to $8,600 per annum

**EXCELLENT FRINGE BENEFITS**

**MUNICIPAL SURVEY TECHNICIAN**
ROADS DEPARTMENT

**DUTIES:** To supervise a survey crew and provide the necessary survey work for the design and construction of County Road projects and maintenance operations. To provide Registry Office title searches and compile descriptions of land parcels as required by the Roads Department. Must be familiar with County requirements concerning Right of Way widths, culvert sizes, building set back bylaws etc. Assist office staff with various reports and financial statements as required and to carry out such other duties as may be assigned from time to time.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Community College Graduate in Civil Engineering discipline or equivalent combination of formal eduation and work experience sufficient to perform the necessary engineering and survey calculations encountered on engineering projects. Previous drafting experience would be a definite asset.

**SALARY:** $9,643 to $10,955 (Currently under Review).

**EXCELLENT FRINGE BENEFITS**
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All applications must clearly indicate age, qualifications, and experience. If desired, application forms may be obtained from the Office of the undersigned.

James R. Duffin
Personnel Officer
Room 102
County Administration Bldgs.
Belleville, Ontario

## SPECIAL NOTICES

**TOWNSHIP OF TYENDINAGA**
NOTICE OF HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF Section 35 of THE PLANNING ACT (R.S.O. 1970, c.349),
- and -
IN THE MATTER OF an application by The Corporation of the Township of Tyendinaga for approval of its Restricted Area By-Law 77-10.

THE ONTARIO MUNICIPAL BOARD has appointed Tuesday, the 23rd day of January, 1979, at the hour of ten o'clock (local time) in the forenoon at the Township Hall, Melrose, Lot 15, Concession No. 2, Township of Tyendinaga for the hearing of all parties interested in supporting or opposing this application.

In the event the decision is reserved, persons taking part in the hearing may request a copy of the decision from the presiding Board Member. Such decision will be mailed to you when available.

DATED at the Township of Tyendinaga this 4th day of December, 1978.

W.J. Walsh, Clerk
Township of Tyendinaga

Explanatory Note: The purpose of By-Law No. 77-10 is to regulate the use of land and character, location and use of buildings and structures and furthermore may prohibit certain uses of land and the erection and use of certain buildings and structures within various areas of the Corporation of the Township of Tyendinaga in accordance with the Official Plan for the Hastings County Planning Area.

By-Law No. 77-10 will serve to regulate and restsrict development within the Township which may create an adverse effect on existing areas or the development of land for a use which may be detrimental to the future orderly development of an area.

The provisions of the By-Law will apply throughout all of the defined areas within the corporate limits of the Township of Tyendinaga. No land shall be used and no building or structure shall be erected, altered or used in any manner except in conformity with the provisions of the By-Law. However, notwithstanding the foregoing statement, the By-Law will not apply to prevent or hinder the continued use of any land, building or structure, which on the date of the passing of the By-Law was legally used or erected for any purpose prohibited by the By-Law, so long as it continues to be used for that purpose.

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# More comprehensive stringent goals in agreement about the Great Lakes

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new thrusts and more comprehensive and stringent goals than those contained in the 1972 accord.

The major changes include the following:

...Provisions to largely eliminate discharge of toxic substances into the Great Lakes and to establish warning systems to prevent future toxic substances causing problems.

...New interim phosphorus loading targets are defined for each lake. These provisional targets are to be finalized and their apportionment between the two countries negotiated within 18 months of the agreement's signature.

...New final deadlines have been set by which municipal (December 31, 1982) and industrial (December 31, 1983) pollution control programs are to be completed and operating.

...New and revised water quality objectives, including one for radioactivity, which is the result of extended negotiations, have been incorporated in the agreement.

...Provisions for dealing with pollution from land-use activities and for examining the problem of airborne pollutants.

...Monitoring and surveillance requirements have been revised and improved in order to better assess the effectiveness of control programs; and provision is made for a public inventory of discharges and their progress in meeting pollution control requirements.

Mr. Marchand said that the 1978 agreement is more wide-reaching than that of 1972. Specific types of waste treatment controls are now to be established for all industries. In addition, research commitments are being made to clearly support the goals of the agreement.

The new agreement reaffirms a common denominator to restore and enhance Great Lakes water quality, the Minister said. By adopting the concept of a Great Lakes Basin ecosystem, the accord recognizes that water quality depends on the interplay of air, land, water and living organisms within the system. This ecosystem approach includes an emphasis on the impact of pollutants on human health.

The International Joint Commission will continue to play an indispensable role in this effort, Mr. Marchand said. In this respect, the 1978 agreement reaffirms the importance of the work of the IJC and, more precisely, specifies the terms of reference of the joint institutions established to assist the commission in performing functions related to the accord.

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# UCO to expand in Napanee

The United Co-operatives of Ontario Mill in Napanee is to be expanded to the tune of about $200,000, and the milling operations at UCO's Kingston and Gananoque outlets will be phased out.

The Napanee mill will require three additional men.

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# CORNUCOPIA

By Ann McGill

I find it difficult to review a friend's book so, rather than try, I am simply going to give you one of the poems from Al Purdy's latest and, I think, best collection of poems,BEING ALIVE, published by McClelland and Stewart, $7.95 in paperback.

The poem is about Roblin's Mills (unfortunately re-named Ameliasburg) where the poet lives.

The wheels stopped
and the murmur of voices
behind the flume's tremble
stopped
and the wind-high ships
that sailed from Rednersville
to the sunrise ports of Europe
are delayed somewhere
in a toddling breeze
The black millpond
turns an unreflecting eye
to look inward
like an idiot child
locked in the basement
when strangers come
whizzing past on the highway
above the dark green valley
a hundred yards below
The mill space is empty
even stones are gone
where hands were shaken
and walls enclosed laughter
*saved up and brought here*
from the hot fields
where all stories are rolled into one
And white dust floating
above the watery mumble
and bright human sounds
to shimmer among the pollen
where bees dance now
Of all things
no outline remains
no shadow on the soft air
no bent place in the heat glimmer
where the heavy walls pressed
And some of those who vanished
lost children of the time
kept after school
left alone in a graveyard
who may not change
or ever grow six inches
in o ne hot summer
or turn where the great herons
graze the sky's low silver
- stand between the hours
in a rotting village
near the weed-grown eye
that looks into itself
deep in the black crystal
that holds and contains
the substance of shadows
manner and custom
of the inarticulate
departures and morning rumours
gestures and almost touchings
announcements and arrivals
gossip of someone's marriage
when a girl or tired farm woman
whose body suddenly blushes
beneath a faded house dress
with white expressionless face
turns to her awkward husband
to remind him of something else
The black millpond
holds them
movings and reachings and fragments
the gear and tackle of living
under the water eye
all things laid aside
discarded
forgotten
but they had their being o nce
and left a place to stand on

# Presbyterian Ladies meet

The Presbyterian Ladies group met at the home of Mrs. Dorothy McCullough on Monday, December 11th. A delicious turkey dinner was served by the hostess at 6:15 p.m.

Following dinner a short meeting was held. The president, Mrs. Mable Moore led in the singing of Carols and led in prayer. She thanked the hostess for opening her home and preparing such a *'tasty dinner'*.

There were 12 members present, and all answered roll call with a Christmas verse. Several readings were given, including one by Mrs. Dorothy Fresque on the customs of the world at Christmas, which was very interesting.

In the election of officers, all were returned, Mrs. Moore - President, Mrs. Hood - Secretary and Mrs. McCullough - Treasurer.

Members were reminded not to forget the Quinte Beach Christmas party on December 13th. Two or three planned to go. Mrs. Millie Burleigh played for the carols and Christmas songs throughout the evening.

Next meeting will be on January 9th at Mrs. McCullough's. Mrs. Fresque, Missions and Mrs. Whetstone Ladies Aid devotions.

After the close of the meeting, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Hood had contests. Mrs. Yvonne Goodwin then took the role of Santa and handed out the gifts.

classified ads get the job done

# Deseronto kids won't be getting Police Christmas parties this year

About 500 youngsters in Deseronto are going to miss out on their Christmas Party this year.

For the past three years, the Deseronto Police Association used money raised from the Friday night dances at the Deseronto Public School to throw two parties for all the children in town. It was a nice idea.

But last spring, the dances were cancelled by G. Muir, principal of the school.

Norm Clark, who is now the town's Chief of Police, but who was then a constable, and Bud Meeks, who was animal control officer, town jailer and also ran a bicycle repair business, took time from their busy schedules to run dances every Friday night for three years. At the beginning, they used their own record players, until they raised enough money to buy equipment, and even then continued to buy records out of their own pockets.

In addition to buying equipment and providing all the youngsters in town with the Christmas party treat, they took some youngsters on bus trips to places like the Canadian National Exhibition.

But the problem with the dances, according to Principal Muir, was that they needed more supervision. Volunteers were not forthcoming to help.

Mr. Muir was also concerned about the 'little kids' who were coming to the dances.

This year, the Minor Hockey Association has taken on the dances at the school.

'During the first term, there was a dance every other week,' Mr. Muir said. 'The dances are well supervised. There are three or four parents there to help, and there is no nonsense.'

Clarence Zieman is in charge.

Mr. Muir was also pleased that attendance had been limited to people 10 to 18 years old.

Proceeds from the dances now go to the Minor Hockey Association...and there will be no Christmas party put on by the Police Association this year.

# Hay — is that all?

Prince Edward county farmers weren't at all happy with the hay crop insurance cheques they got to offset losses resulting from the 1978 drought.

At a meeting in Bloomfield last week, officials from the Ontario Crop Insurance Commission fielded questions, pointing out that more than rain was involved in crop yields, sunlight, temperature and timing also affected crops.

Many farmers are planning to take the matter to a board of arbitration.

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Janet Lunn of Hillier gets out the family Christmas decorations, which have been in her family for almost a hundred years.

# Happy Christmases of the past recalled as decorations come out for this year

It's that time of year again when we're rooting through the attic or the cupboards getting out the Christmas decorations for another festive season.

Every family has a few old favourites which go up, year after year, even if they are a little frayed or tarnished.

At our house, when I was a little girl, the old favourite was a string of lights...one of the earliest electric lights for Christmas use. The bulbs were shaped like little Santas but, by the time I first remember them, most of the paint had been worn off. Still, the tree did not go up without them.

Getting the Christmas decorations out takes me a long time. It's like going through the photo album...everything in the box has a memory of its own. The snowman my kids made out of cotton batten for the top of our tree....a few glass icicles from my own childhood ... and, mixed in with the store-bought flashy balls and baubles, the Christmas-stickered hangups made from the ends of baby food cans the year my husband had his heart attack and there was no money for the Christmas extras.

Last week, I had the fun of helping Janet Lunn of Hillier check over her family Christmas decorations.

She keeps them in a fascinating old wooden chest which belonged to her grandfather years ago when the family lived in New York.

Many of the decorations inside the box also came from her grandfather's family.

There were angels with slightly wilted gossamer wings...miniature animals for a nativity scene.

Not all the decorations are that old, but even the newer ones have memories...like the quail's eggs, which hang on the tree. They came from the late Ann Farwell, whom many people in the county will remember.

'They were too pretty to throw out,' Mrs. Lunn said. 'So we use them on the tree.'

The Scanner hopes that all of you have as many happy memories to recall as you bring out your Christmas decorations for another happy Yuletime season.

## Relatives in high places

An interesting local sidelight on the apointment of Ed Schreyer, Manitoba's NDP leader, as Canada's 22nd Governor General, is the fact that he is a cousin of Harvey Gottfried of Ferguson Street in Picton.

Mr. Gottfried, a teacher at the Prince Edward Collegiate Institute in Picton, was the NDP candidate for Prince Edward riding in the last Federal election.

## *Deseronto Council Briefs*

- A report from the Municipal Planning Consultants, advising that the **Municipal housing statement** for the town has been completed was approved and forwarded to the Ministry of Housing.
- Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation advised council that the **Municipal Incentive Grant Program** is being terminated at the end of 1978. There are no building permits outstanding that are elegible for the grant, Carman Milligan said.
- Information concerning an amendment proposed to the **Assessment Amendment Bill** was received from the Minister of Revenue. The effect of this emendment will be to remove the freeze on assessment equilization factors. It was put in the active file to be discussed again at the January 8 meeting when a representative from the assessment regional office will be at council meeting to speak.
- A request was received from the Township of Kingston for endorsement of its resolution regarding **income tax exemptions for volunteer firemen.** Council endorsed the resolution.
- Council was advised that an **Ontario Municipal Board hearing** will be held in the Town Hall, Wednesday, January 31 at 10:30 a.m. concerning the restricted area by-law.
- Reg Dawson asked Council for **permission to park** his own and tenants vehicles across the road from his Dundas Street property during the winter months. Permission was granted subject to the ocndition that he give the town full indemnity for possible damage or injury.

# Adolphustown reeve presented with gift

At the last meeting of Adolphustown Township Council for the present term, in-coming Reeve elect Harold Allison presented Reeve J. Shelley with an engraved desk set, inscribed as follows; 'To Reeve Joseph Sheley in recognition of many years of service to the people of the Township ofAdolphustown.'

The inaugural meeting of the new council was scheduled for December 5.

At the two meetings in November, the following business was enacted:

Reeve H. Allison was given signing authority with Betty Miller, clerk, and Gerald Daverne as co-signers.

Mr. Daverne is to discuss with Mrs. Marjorie Prout the problem of rodents from a nearby granary.

An application for land division from Stuart McCullough was approved, subject to re-zoning and 13 feet is to be dedicated for road widening by means of the plan along the Bay Shore Road, and that further development be controlled.

Correspondence addressed to the Recreation Committee from the Sandhurst School regarding a proposal to establish a creative playground on the Sandhurst Pub lic School Grounds was received. Allan Hamilton was present and explained the proposal. A request for a donation of $200 was deferred until a later date and Council extended their assurance of interest in the project.

A resolution of the Town of Oakville concerning the petitioning of the provincial government to ban nudity and pornography in public places was endorsed.

It was moved and seconded that the application for land division from Mr. and Mrs. C. Baird be received and that the land division committee be informed that this division would result in the formation of two lots of less than 22,500 square feet as required by zoning by-law. Council cannot approve this land division.

Council was informed that the Ontario Municipal Board has issued orders approving zoning by-law 735 as amended by by-law 742, 756 and 758.


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## Winter increases electrical demands

The arrival of winter increases demands on the household electrical service panel. There are a number of steps which householders can take to reduce the chance of service panel failures and fires.

Service panel fuses must be the correct rating. Only 15 ampere fuses should be used in fuse positions for wall outlets.

Fuses must also be the correct type. Only CSA certified type 'D' fuses should be used for electric clothes dryers, water heaters, furnace fan circuits and circuits supplying portable space eaters.

When a fuse blows, move the main service switch to 'off' before changing the fuse. Don't replace a fuse with one having a higher rating. If fuses blow repeatedly, check the number of appliances on the circuit. It may be necessary to redistribute the appliances on other circuits, or add new circuits.

Screw-in (plug) fuses may blow if they're loose. They should be tightly installed and checked periodically.

Circuit breakers should be operated once a year, by moving the breaker handle to 'off' and then back to 'on'.

If a circuit supplies a refreigerator or freezer, wait two minutes before switching 'on' to avoid possible damage to the appliance.

If problems arise, call an electrician - don't try to make your own repairs.

## Team to visit Quebec

An all-star team, from the Napanee biddy basketball leagues, which opened its second season recently, will be selected to attend the St. Lambert, Quebec, 24-team international tournament next spring.

There are some 40 boys in the league roster now ... from Napanee, Selby and Newburgh. League organizer, Gerry Shewchuk said there are still some openings.

## HAPPENINGS

The Amateur Choral Group of Shannonville and Area have recently provided entertainment for the Southern Sixties, a senior citizen club in the Borough of Etobicoke; the residents of Hastings Manor in Belleville and the Senior Citizen Club at Ameliasburg.

On December 2nd they were taped at Loyalist College for two programs to be shown later on Cablevue Channel 4.

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Deseronto's Pee Wee team will be playing Gananoque on Saturday at 6 p.m.; Picton on Sunday at 5 p.m., and Wellington on Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Winner of the Dec. 4 50-50 draw was Eric Bartlett, $40. Bill Baverstock was the Dec. 8 winner with $36.25.


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# MERRY CHRISTMAS HAPPY NEW YEAR

# FROM THE PEOPLE AT THE SCANNER

WHAT STAGE ARE WE AT?

## Year end round-up of local stories

The Quinte Scanner will not be publishing next Wednesday, so this is the last issue for 1978, and we thought this might be a good time to bring readers up to date on some of the more interesting stories we have covered during the past year.

**THE REFERENDUM ON THE RESERVE**

'We are not planning any referendum in the immediate future,' Band Administrator Elton Brant told the Scanner last week.

Two referendums were held during 1978, concerning a conditional and qualified surrender of approximatley 124 acres of Tyendinaga Reserve property. The surrender of the 124 acres to the Crown would have paved the way for the surrendered land to be sold and patented to the present lessees (in Shannonville).

The first referendum in October resulted in 163 in favour and 124 against. Twelve ballots were spoiled. There were 554 registered voters, only 299 of whom cast their votes. To carry on the first vote, 277 in favour would have been necessary.

So, a second referendum was held in December. This time, they voted thumbs down...181 against and 172 in favour. On the second referendum, it was the majority vote that counted and the percentage of eligible people voting was not a factor.

It was stated, at that time, that another referendum could not be held on this question for another year.

The year has passed but no further referendum is being planned at this time and that leaves the people in Shannonville, who have buildings on property leased from the Mohawk Indian Band, still up in the air. If the surrender had been approved, the Federal Government could then have negotiated with them on clear deeds to their holdings.

**TOPLESS SERVICE — PORNOGRAPHY**

The municipalities have been discovering that there isn't too much they can do individually to get pornography off the shelves and topless servers out of the bars.

But some of them have gone in on a joint effort to do something about it and 'put an end to the exploitation of women and sex as a means to financial gain by any business or individual'.

Picton (as might have been expected in view of the froo-fraw there over this matter) and Deseronto are two of the municipal councils which have endorsed a resolution from the Town of Oakville to spearhead a drive to change or create a law in Ontario which will prevent, forbid and stop the practice in Ontario of topless or bottomless waitresses, dancers, strippers and nude

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## No Scanner next week

There will be no Scanner next week because the news staff of B.Q.Graphics are taking a well-deserved rest.

The next issue of the Scanner will be published on our usual day, Wednesday, January 3, 1979.

It's time to clean those stovepipes. Sophiasburgh's Fire Chief WAlter Pulver inspects a Franklin stove. One hazard he pointed out was that the stove is too close to the wooden floor, even though there is a fire resistant piece of material directly under the stove. About 18 inches is a safe distance from a stove to any inflammable surface.

## People burning wood for first time not aware of chimney, other hazards

Because of rising costs of conventional fuels and reports of energy shortages, many homeowners have been looking for alternative sources of heating energy and wood burning stoves have been 'hot' sales items.

A wood fire in a Franklin stove, a Quebec heater, a kitchen cook stove gives a cozy heat and is pretty to watch but it can be a terrible hazard if you don't know how to handle it.

Everyone in the Quinte area must be aware, by now, that the number of home fires is on the increase...many of them caused by wood fires.

Sophiasburgh's Fire Chief Walt Pulver is worried.

'There's certainly been an increase in the number of home fires...it's terrible,'

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# EDITORIAL

**Writing a Christmas editorial is not easy. What should I say?**

**Should I throw in a lot of high-sounding words about peace... goodwill...and, in effect, say not very much?**

**Should I use my editorial space to blast off at the un-Christmas-like things that are happening in the world around us?**

**I did try writing a satirical Christmas parody along those lines, to the tune of the old favourite...'On the first day of Christmas, my true love sent to me'.**

**It started off like this: 'On the first day of Christmas, the government sent to me, a nuclear waste dump to bury me'.**

**I didn't get very far with it. Somehow, although I get very angry about things...such as the recent gift of l.3 million dollars to major polluters, given with the 'hope' they would clean up their acts...I found I couldn't write a bitter editorial at the Christmas season.**

**I've had angry feelings at other Christmas seasons too, but managed not to be bitter about them. I remember one year, standing with my little granddaughter outside a high-rise apartment building in Toronto. Her mother had been told she couldn't have an apartment there...or anywhere else it seemed in that large city...because a five-year-old child was not welcome. There was a Christmas tree in the apartment lobby and a big banner out front proclaiming peace on earth, goodwill, etc. I wanted to take a big pail of paint and a big brush and replace that sign with 'No room in the inn'.**

**I didn't, of course. I took her home with me and we waited for Christmas morning, in a happy place, where Santa Claus could find a child.**

**Sometimes, people ask me how I can continue to be optimistic and, yes, a little 'smaltzy', about things like the Christmas spirit, when life, and people, have given me so many hard knocks.**

**And, sometimes, I wonder, myself.**

**But, I have found, through the years, that when I am at my lowest point, someone always comes along and surprises me with something nice...a helping hand...a pat on the back...a couple of bucks to tide me over.**

***Usually, it's been the people in as bad a boat as myself, but ready to share what little they have with someone who needs it a little more.***

**Those are the folks who know what the Christmas spirit is all about...all year round...and there are still a lot of them in the world.**

**To all the kind, considerate and nice people I know...and to those I haven't had the pleasure to meet yet...a very Merry Christmas and the happiest of New Year's, from Bess Wares.**

## Oops! We goofed!

In last week's [illegible] ment for the New Year's Eve dance at Deseronto's Community Centre said that the dance would be held on Saturday, December 31st.

Of course, this year New Year's Eve fall on Sunday, not Saturday, and so the dance will be held on SUNDAY, December 31st, at the Community Centre.

## Bird's Eye View

by Orville S. Greenbush

Well, here we are again, another Christmas time, and it don't seem no time since it was the last one.

Elma's running around like a chicken with its head cut off, as usual, and I'm doing my best to stay out of her way.

Funny the way these family traditions build up, ain't it? Christmas at our house is done just the way Elma's ma done it, probably her grandma too, with a few bits and pieces that I figger is essential to the holiday feelings.

Funny how different countries has their own ways. I remember one time a war bride telling me that over in England they have a fairy on top of the Christmas tree. Reckon they ain't as far removed from the pagan winter festival as we are.

I hear that they hardly make any fuss at all over Christmas up in Scotland. There all the fun and games goes on at New Years.

They call it Hogmanny or something, and eat stuffed sheep's stomachs and such. Funny thing is that the kids hang their stockings on New Year's Eve, not at Christmas. All the partying is then as well.

The thing that I found real interesting was the story of how they 'let in the New Year.'

Seems the first person to cross the threshold after midnight has to be a dark haired feller. If he has fair hair it's real bad luck, and if'n it should be a fair haired woman, why God help you, you're in for a real bad time in the year coming up. This dark haired feller has to carry something to eat, something to drink and a piece of coal for keeping the house warm. Interesting, ain't it?


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(2) That any vehicle parked in contravention of this by-law may be removed at the owner's expense and be subject to a fine of $10.00 for each offence.

(3) A person charged with an offence under this section may within forty eight hours of being charged with the offence, pay the amount of the fine as provided by this by-law to the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Deseronto.

## NOTICE

### RE HYDRO RATES 1979

On Sept. 11, 1978 Ontario Hydro's Board of Directors approved rates for 1979, which will result in an average increase of 9.8% to the Municipal Electric Utilities, over the rates applicable in 1978. These increases, originally proposed in Hydro's submission to the Ontario Energy Board last April, and accepted by the Energy Board in it's report, will be effective January 1, 1979.

Application has been made by the Deseronto Public Utilities Comm. to Ontario Hydro for an increase in retail rates of approximately 9.3% effective on all bills issued on and after March 1, 1979. (Subject to final approval by Ontario Hydro.)

As an example of the rate increase, a customer using 1500 kilowatt hours over a 2 month basis will see his bill rise from $47.00 to $51.50, a $4.50 increase.

The rate increase for 1979 has been minimized by better than expected operations of Ontario Hydro in 1978 as a consequence of unexpectedly high sales of power in the U.S. and higher than predicted performance of the nuclear generating plants.

Deseronto Public Utilities Commission

# Quinte News Round Up

### CONSERVATION — SNOWMOBILES

Prince Edward County Association of Snowmobile Clubs had a representative from the local Conservation Authority as speaker at their recent meeting.

B. Hall, resources technician and cartographer, outlined the authority's projects and told the clubs of some of the vandalism that had been done in the past.

Association meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month, in the winter.

### PICTON MINI-MALL PROPOSAL

Picton council referred to its planning and development committee for study and report a site plan which had been submitted by Gardiner's Supermarkets Ltd., which would include a new building housing additional stores.

Members of the planning and development committee are Deputy-Reeve Roy Wight (chairman), Reevew Charles Hepburn and Councillor Joan Brant.

### ENTERTAIN SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. D. Faulkner and a choir of 30 students from Bayview Public School sang several selections at the December meeting of the Hastings County Board of Education.

### TOMATO PROTECTION

At a meeting of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Marketing Board in Ottawa, Federal Minister of Agriculture, Eugene Whelan suggested protection from cheaper foreign produce, starting with a 17-per cent tariff on foreighn-processed tomatoes. He said that final tariffs will be set at negotiations under way in Geneva.

### WHO'S GOING TO JUMP IN FIRST??

Although some money has been collected by backers for the swimming pool project in Prince Edward County, the big 'guns' have not yet been heard from.

Financing arrangements depend heavily on the Ministry of Community and Social Services, which has not committed itself to date. A Wintario grant and local fund-raising would provide additional financial help.

Estimated cost is abou $1 million, with an annual operating cost of about $60,000.

With so much water surrounding Prince Edward County, it's surprising to find out the number of children who don't know how to swim. A pool where they could learn safely, sounds like a great idea.

### PE BOARD CHAIRMAN

Lyle Vanclief, representative from Ameliasburgh township, was chosen chairman of the Prince Edward County Board of Education.

He was vice-chairman last term and is a member of the board's teachers' salary negotiating team.

Deseronto Sea Cadets were presented with a plaque by the Belleville Branch of the Ontario Heart Foundation, for their efforts in helping the Foundation. Frank Smith, one of the Sea Cadets, displays the plaque.


# The new minimum wage rates

On January 1, 1979 new Minimum Wage rates will go into effect. Here are the new rates:

| | Effective **January 1, 1979 |
|---|---|
| General hourly rate | $ 3.00 |
| Learner, hourly rate | 2.90 |
| Construction and Guards at construction sites, hourly rate | 3.25 |
| *Hourly rate for persons employed to serve liquor in licensed premises | 2.50 |
| *Student, hourly rate | 2.15 |
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## New sales rep for the Scanner

David Taylor, B..Q.Graphic's president, is pleased to announce the appointment of Lewis Frape, of Northport, as sales representative for the company and the Quinte Scanner.

Lewis is no newcomer to the area. During his four years as squash professional and manager at the Belleville Squash Club, he has become known to, and friends with, many Quinte people.

Squash is not the only sport at which he is accomplished. He is coach of the Belleville Bulldogs Rugby team which he founded in 1975.

He also finds time to coach rugby for juniors and seniors at Centennial Secondary School in Belleville and, on Saturday afternoons, you will often find him refereeing inter-city rugby matches.

A keen bridge player...in fact, a National Master at the game...he hopes to be teaching evening classes in the new year in Picton.

Like many other people in the Quinte area, Lewis and his wife, Ann, are 'escapees' from the big city of Toronto, where Lewis, at one time, worked for the Skyline Racquet Club.

The Frapes spent their first three years, after leaving Toronto, in the Marlbank area, moving to Northport in 1975. Both are keen gardeners.

Lewis was born in England and was a National Rugby Player. He came to Canada in 1967 and, in the following year, he ran in the Boston Marathon.

He says he's going to continue playing squash but he's finding the competition 'pretty stiff' from younger players at the professional level.

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FOR SALE - 1971 Snowcruiser snowmobile, 20 HP. Phone 354-9212. 14

FOR SALE - SX - 70 Land Camera, case and film; 8-track car stereo; 3 speed shifter. Phone after 3:30 p.m. 396-2935.

FOR SALE - 1975 Dodge Swinger, Excellent condition, $2,500. certified. Call Napanee 354-9215. 13

FOR SALE - Clothes dryer, good condition, $95. Napanee 354-9215. 13

FOR SALE - fur coat, size 16-18, ¾ length, $50.00; white fleck black coat with small ming collar, size 16-20; also dresses in same size, all in good condition. Phone 396-3417. 13

FOR SALE - double snowmobile trailer, spare tire, asking $250.00; 1 pr. boy's Bauer Supreme skates, size 12 $7.00; 1 pr boy's Bauer skates $5.00. Phone 476-5908 after 5 p.m. 10

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FOR SALE - Choice sides of beef, average weight 225 lbs. Cut, wrapped and frozen, $1.08 lb. Brady Beef, Newburgh. 378-2445. 52

FOR SALE - 1975 9 passenger Chev station wagon, good shape, P.S. & P.B. with certification safety check, $2495.00 phone Deseronto 396-2426. 13

FOR SALE - 1969 Ford 3 ton flat bed with stake racks, in good condition; 34 Winchester Drive, Napanee. Phone 354-2368. 5

FOR SALE - one medium size air hockey game, excellent condition, $60.00; one pair Bauer Supreme skates, excellent condition, size 4 $25.00; one small electric football game $10.00. Phone 396-3544. 7

FOR SALE - newly upholstered chesterfield and chair. Please phone 354-2756. 7

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FOR SALE - oil stove with blower and some pipes; hot water boiler with baseboard radiators. Phone 962-5889 after 5:00 p.m. 6

FOR SALE - low down payment can put you in a house of your own, which is reasonably priced. Call after 6 p.m. 396-2302. 10

FOR SALE - one pair of F70-14 radial snow tires, low mileage. Bought for $100.00 will sell for $40.00. Phone 396-2557 after 5:00 p.m. 6

FOR SALE - Pekinese pupies, CKCregistered. Will be ready for Christmas. $200 and up. Phone 613: 476 - 5049 or 476 - 3344. 14

FOR SALE - Apartment table with two chairs, good condition. $25.00. Phone 396-2603. 14

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE - newly upholstered chesterfield and chair, three matching antique chairs, antique love seat and chair. Phone 354-2756. 16

FOR SALE - 1 oil space heater (Duo Therm) with blower, $70.00; 1 Philips cab stereo, AM-FM. Phone 354-5742 days or 378-2213 evenings. 8

FOR SALE - '73 Ford half-ton. New tires, new brakes, new clutch and transmission. H.D. suspension with air shocks. $1,395.00. Phone 352-7579 at noon or after 5 p.m. 12

FOR SALE - 14 foot fibre glass boat, 10 HP Johnson motor, gas can, oars and safety equipment included. Also baby basinette. Phone 354-3627 9

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FOR SALE - 2 snowmobiles - 1970 Nordic and 1971 Olympic with electric start including covers, also tilt trailer. All are in excellent condition. Phone anytime. 476-4380. 12

FOR SALE - 69 Chev sedan, replaced 72 engine, can be certified, $700.00; one heavy wheel trailer, $100.00; one Chev van $800.00; Beatty sheet ironer (antique), runs good, $150.00; 1 tow bar and 2 5/16 ball, $200.00; one van converted to 14 ft. house trailer $600.00; Esso jet burner $50.00; Shell jet burner $35.00; new boosters at $6.00 each, oil stoves, (heaters), clothing, shoes, etc. Monday to Friday evening 98 Brant Street, Deseronto 396-3349. 1

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FOR SALE - Besson Trombone, B flat, plush case. Flat back mandolin. Les Paul electric guitar with case. Five string banjo. Acoustic Guitars. Amplifiers. Violins. Accessories and repairs. 116 John St., Napanee. Phone 354-3487 or 354-2710. 3

FOR SALE - 1 boy's sports jacket. Size 14. Navy and light check. Only worn twice, plus 1 pair navy slacks and shirt. Price $25.00. Phone 396-2828 after 5.0 52

FOR SALE OR RENT - Large 3 bedroom brick, central hot water heat, new wiring, self-supported tower rotator and antenna. House for sale or rent. Phone 396-2301 (Bus.) or 396-2408.

FOR SALE - Victor adding machine, 12 digit print out, floating decimal, full accumulating memory, plus four basic math functions. Rarely used, asking $70.00. Phone 396-2591 after 5. 11

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE - 16 foot green fibreglass canoe, paddles and life jackets, in excellent condition. Call 476-2271. 51

FOR SALE - 110 Beaver electric two burner stove and oven, $20.00; 19 inch B & W television, $35.00; oval kitchen table, extension leaf, 4 chairs, Spanish back design, $60.00. Call 476-2271. 51

1974 Gremlin automatic. 6 cylinder. New tires on front with safety certificate. No reasonable offer refused. Singer sewing machine with cabinet. Phone 396-6880. 7

FOR SALE - 2 storey brick house, renovated, carpet throughout. Hot air furnace. Phone 396-2310. 14

FOR SALE - 1974 Ford ½ ton, V8, 52,000 miles, $2,300.00 as is. Phone 388-2860 after 6 p.m. 51

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FOR SALE - ducks and geese, field grown with no additives, hormones, etc. Dressed and ready for the oven. Will custom pluck your chickens, ducks and geese. For reservations call 476-4403 after 8 p.m. 9

FOR SALE - bathroom basin with chrome legs, also chrome taps, $25.00; Phone 396-2823 mornings only. 12

FOR SALE - 20 HP Wisconsin stationary engine, 2cy; also rabbits, proven does and bucks, cages and feeders. Phone 396-3198. 12

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FOR SALE - Fire wood - iron wood and rock elm for stove and fireplace. Hard and dry. Pick up truck load $25.00 delivered. Joe Curlette. 2 miles from Skyway Bridge. Phone 476-3981. 10

FOR SALE - 1970 Monte Carlo, P.S., P.B., good shape, $650.00 as is. Phone 396-3802 after 5:30 p.m. 10

FOR SALE - large Franklin stove with brass balls; Irish Cobbler potatoes $5.00 a bushel. Phone 476-6081. 10

FOR SALE - TM44 cargo van (Trailmobile) Tandem Axle. 1964 Chevrolet automatic, 6 wheels. Licenced. $125.00. Phone 396-3591. 2

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE - Lady Schick Consolette hairdryer, $20.00; Polaroid Speedliner Land Camera with accessories, $50.00; fish aquarium, lid with heat light and pump, $35.00. Call 476-2271.

FOR SALE - black seal paw fur jacket, grey persian collar, size 44, asking $39.00; long dress, princess style, long sleeves, red, size 52, asking $25.00 firm; black imitation persian jacket, grey collar, size 44, asking $25.00. Phone after 6 p.m. 393-2131. 51

FOR SALE - Horses - three quarter Arabian grey gelding rising three year. Excellent conformation and disposition, is small. $800.00. One eight year old 16.3 hand chestnut show horse. Hack type gelding. Very showy English 15.3 hand chestnut gelding, western and English show hunter. 15.3 hand chestnut mare, registered Canadian hunter, well schooled. Phone 393-3173 or phone 376-3260, Sydenham. 2

FOR SALE - new listing Deseronto. Completely renovated 1½ storey home, listed at $24,900. Owner transferred. M.L.S. Phone 354-5742 Gerald Frizzell Realtor. 4

FOR SALE - newly upholstered 3-pc. sectional chesterfield, with chair; newly upholstered chesterfield with chair; a foot stool; second hand chesterfield and chair. Phone 354-2756. 4

FOR SALE - 1,000 Bales of mixed hay at $1.00 per bale. 12 Leghorn hens, laying. Napanee, 354-4798. 14

FOR SALE - 1974 Pinto Station Wagon. Good condition. Best offer. 476-4614. 2

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FOR SALE - 1 hide-a-way sofa with King Koil mattress, like new; 1 dinette set, table & 4 chairs (ladder back), like new; 1 ironing board; indoor folding clothes dryer; 1 weaving board; several pantsuits; evening dress; winter coat with leather trim; 1 rust coloured purse; 1 pair high boots, size 7-7½, good shape; 1 new evening bag, never used. Can be seen at 88 Centre St., Deseronto or phone 396-2297. 9

FOR SALE - antique McClary 'Eighty' cook stove. 6 lid cook top, warming oven, hot water jacket. All accessories. Beautiful condition, $1,500.00; Picnic table $25.00; wood and coal McClary's Parlour Furnacette, $325.00. Call 476-2271. 5

FOR SALE - Floral quilted bedspread for double bed with matching lined drapes. Reasonable. Napanee 354-4367. 11

FOR SALE - 1966 Ford, certified. Four Buick chrome rims, 15 inch. Also 1887 Willis piano. Phone 396-3804. 4

FOR SALE - set of bunk beds, like new with new mattresses. Call Napanee 354-2726 after 6 p.m. 6

FOR SALE - 1 bathroom corner sink, 1 gas heater with pipes, 1 oil heater with pipes, 1 stainless steel kitchen sink, never used., 2 rangettes. Phone 1-544-6872. 4

FOR SALE - '75 Dodge Swinger, PS, PB, 2-door, vinyl roof, recently painted, new tires, new shocks, certified $2,900. Call Napanee 354-9215. 4

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FOR RENT - One bedroom apartment, fridge and stove, furnished or unfurnished, heat included, parking and laundry facilities. Phone 396-2503.

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WANTED TO BUY - good used slate pool table at reasonable price. Phone 396-2842. 15

WANTED TO BUY - Shingle milling machine. Phone Picton 476-5054 evenings or 476-7057 days.

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Pastor — Rev. James Bush
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
10:30 a.m. — Worship
7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic
Wednesday 7:30 p.m. — Family Night

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**St. Mark's Deseronto**
December 24th 11:15 a.m.
Service of Lessons and Carols
December 24th 10:30 p.m.
Holy Communion Service
December 25th 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion (said)
**Holy Trinity, Shannonville**
December 24th 7:30 p.m.
Holy Communion Service
(no morning service)

**Presbyterian Church of the Redeemer**
Rev. Robt. Jones
Worship Service — 9 :30 a.m.
Sunday School — 10:45 a.m.

Wishing friends, relatives and Parkview Apartments a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Irene Martin

We wish all residents of Deseronto a very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.

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We would like to wish all our friends in Deseronto a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Blake and Mabel Moore

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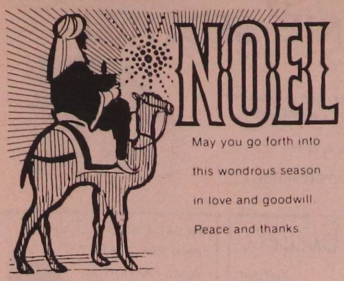


May you go forth into
this wondrous season
in love and goodwill
Peace and thanks

**BAY BOUTIQUE**
*288 Main Street, Picton*


# Don't give a pickpocket a gift !

Don't give a pickpocket a Christmas gift this year.

There are people out there in the Christmas crowds on the lookout for easy pickings.

Pinkerton's of Canada, a firm which has been in the business of safeguarding people for more than 125 years, has some suggestions for outwitting would-be pickpockets.

Men should avoid carrying their wallets in hip pockets. And, if they remove their jackets in a store to try on a suit or sports jacket, they should remember to transfer their wallet. Never leave it in a dressing cubicle.

Women should never set their pocketb ooks down on a store counter. A quick thief can grab a purse and be gone in seconds in the Christmas crowds.

And, remember, shoplifters don't always steal merchandise off the counters and racks; your nicely wrapped packages are even easier to snatch and take out past electronic devices, guards or detectives. If possible, carry packages in large shopping bags with strong handles, firmly held.

Finally, don't announce holiday vacation plans in your local newspaper. Set lights on timers if you are going away, stop deliveries, and have a neighbour check your house regularly.

**In the glow of the holiday spirit we wish one and all a happy, hearty Christmas!**

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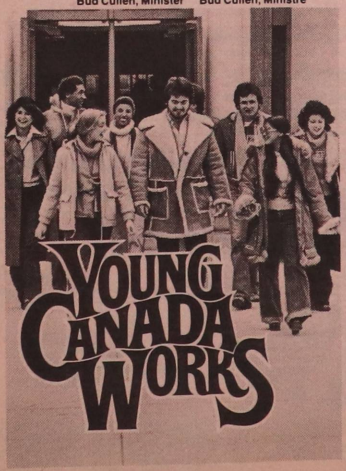




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# Christmas plants need pampering

Azaleas, poinsettias, cyclamens, chrysanthemums -- these colorful blooming plants are popular gifts of friendship at Christmas time.

Unfortunately many of these plants have a short life span because of improper care by their new owners. A few simple precautions and attention to the needs of gift plants can reward the owner with a touch of colour for many months, or even years.

Most plants sold at Christmas are in full bloom. They have been grown in the controlled environment of a greenhouse to produce an eye-appealing product.

However, the plant must soon adjust to the drier and warmer conditions of the averae home. The owner can ease this transition by remembering that most gift plants require bright but cool conditions. Generally, the temperature should be between 18 and 21 degrees C.

Linda Hink, an Agriculture Canada horticulturist in Ottawa, says one mistake many people make is to give their plants too much water. Most plants should be kept moist but not wet and watered only when the soil is dry.

'Normally, tap water is too cold. It should be left overnight to reach room temperature. At the same time, chlorine and other chemicals used to treat water will evaporate, making the water much safer for plant use,' she says.

Azaleas require constantly moist, but not wet, soil conditions as well as a bright but cool location.

The Christmas pepper requires moist soil and a daily misting to keep the leaves damp. It also likes a location in a bright sunny window.

Cyclamen is another plant that requires moist soil, bright light and cool temperatures between 15 and 18 degrees C. Neither the foliage nor the crown should be watered, however, in order to prevent crown rot. This is a difficult plant to grow in the house as the average home temperature is too high.

One gift plant, the poinsettia, has become a symbol of Christmas. Its scarlet colour provides a vivid contrast with the traditional evergreen tree.

'Poinsettias should be kept in a bright sunny window but close to the glass to keep them cool. They should be free from drafts of hot or cold air from the heating system,' Miss Hink says.


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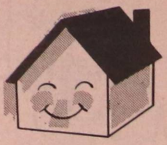

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# Now's the time to clean those stove pipes and check the chimneys

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he said.

'Fortunately, no lives have been lost, but it's just a matter of time until someone dies.'

'A lot of people are buying wood stoves, and putting the pipe up through old chimneys with no flues in them. The mortar has fallen out of the chimneys over the years, and, next thing you know, you have a fire smouldering in the attic.'

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In Sophiasburgh, there have been three house fires in the last mo nth...all practically total losses. A mobile trailer was a complete write-off and two other homes ended up with just the roof and a wall.

'We're right at a stage now where stoves have been gong for some weeks and everybody who is using a wood stove full time should be cleaning stove pipes now,' Chief Pulver advised. 'Most fires we go to, the chimneys are right full.'

Cleaning the main chimney once a year should be all right, he thinks, but 'Before you start a fire in any old chimney, check it,' he warned. Mortar may have fallen down the chimney or it might be plugged with a bird's nest.

He advised a coarse screen over the top of the chimney. 'If it's too fine, it could form an ice sleet and seal itself,' he pointed out.

'A few years ago, three people died down the road,' he said. 'The chimney was plugged.'

'I saw a film at a meeting one time that showed children who had died in a fire. They looked as if they were crawling. When a body burns, the muscles tighten and pull the arms and legs inward.'

Another hazard he pointed out is that people are buying old wood-burning stoves which may not be in a safe condition to use.

If the inside insulation in a cook stove, for example, is in bad shape, there's nothing keeping the fire in except a thin wall. 'It could break through and dump the fire on the floor,' he explained.

Wood that has not had time to dry out is causing chimney pro blems too.

'We used to have good hard, dry wood, a year ahead,' he said. 'Dry wood is not as likely to clog up a chimney. But people are going out now, getting their own wood, and using it right away.'

The Chief recommended smoke detectors....he's got one right over his bed. But they should be battery...not electrically...operated, in case the fuse box is affected by the fire and the alarm wouldn't go off.

'We get fires caused by people by-passing the protec tion of the fuses by using coins or pieces of metal. If you stay with the 15-amp fuses, you shouldn't have any trouble.'

And there's not much use of having a smoke detector, he pointed out, unless yoiu have planned an escape route for everybody in the house...an alternative exit from each room over a roof, out a window or down a rope, and a prearranged place to meet once the family is out.

'The first thing we do at a fire is to check that everyone is out,' Chief Pulver said.

Chief Pulv er shudders when he hears the alarm at night. 'When it's cold out, it's a battle from start to finish...at three or four in the morning, when it's zero and there's a cold wind blowing, fighting a fire is no easy job.'

He has high praise for his 23-man department, and for the Township Council.

'Council's been good,' he said. 'They realize fire protection is one of the main things to be looked after.'

The volunteer ifremen put a lot of time in, practicing. In the winter, they meet the third Monday of every month for training and, in the summer, they break into three crews and practice every Monday night.

'The training has really paid off,' Chief Pulver said. 'I notice at fires now we have real teamwork. They're a real good bunch of fellows. One of them collapsed on a roof, overcome by smoke and, when he was rescued, he wanted to go right back to work.'

Water can be a problem fighting fires in the country. Sophiasburgh has a pumper, a tanker, two portable pumps...'We're all set up that way,' he said.

And Sophiasburgh also has a good supply of water. Lake Ontario Cement gives them 24-hour access to fill up the tankers.

'It would take about 2,300 gallons with the two pieces of equipment,' he said. 'We can sometimes fill up from the bay or from quarries, when there isn't too much ice. But in the winter, we generally go to the cement plant. It's always always plowed out and a hydrant available.'

Sophiasburgh is also a member of the Mutual Aid group. which is made up of 21 fire departments, fom Madoc on the north, to Deseronto on the east, and to Trenton on the west. Fred Hoskins, Belleville Chief, is the co-ordinator, and members can call on the other fire departments for help, if needed.

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By Ann McGill

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I found a wonderful book the other day called 1001 Things You Can Get Free in Canada, by Harriet Saalheimer, published by Pagurian Press.

Here are some of the things yo ı can get:

'Collecting' mentions some of the most familiar gemstones in Canada and tells you where to look for rocks and minerals. You will learn the equipment **rockhounds** need and how specimens should be cared for. From Informaton Division, Geological Survey of Canada, 601 Booth St., Ottawa, Ont. K1A OE8.

Most **stains** can be removed by laundering in the usual manner but stubborn stains may need a more intensive treatment. The 8-page 'Stain Removal Guide' tells you how to remove all sorts of stains from bleachable and unb leachable fabrics. From Public Relations Department, Bristol-Meyers Products Canada, 411 Albert St., Stratford, Ont. N5A 6V6.

Trees not only enhance the environmnet; they also filter and purify the air. The illustrated pamphlet, 'Planting Shade Trees' tells you how to choose a planting site, how to select a ***shade tree**, and when and how to plant. From Forestry Information Service, Canadian Forestry Service,Department of the Environment,* Ottawa, Ont. K1A OE7.

The 'Guide to the National Parks of Canada' describes 28 of Canada's most popular national parks, their location and special attractions. You will find addresses where you can obtain further information about individual **parks**. From Parks Canada, Information Division, 400 Laurier Ave., West, Ottawa, Ont. K1A OH4.

Some Canadians don't get as good a **picture on their TV** screens as they could. The pamphlet 'For Better Television Reception' offers advice on how to improve your reception. You will learn, for example, which type of antenna is best for you and how to check if it is properly mounted.

The 108-page illustrated paperback, 'The Car Mileage Book' offers advice on how to minimize the **gas consumption** of your car. You will also find hints on how to buy a car, how to drive and use less energy. In addition, there are maintenance tips. From P.O.Box 3500, Postal Station 'C', Ottawa, Ont., K1Y 4G1.

If you enjoy looking at the sky, trying to identify some of the major **stars and constellations**, you will enjoy the monthly 'Sky Calendar'. It tells you at what time of night the various stars and planets are visible. You can also have monthly sky sheets. Most of these sheets have maps which will help you locate the various star formations. If you would like your name added to the mailing list for either the star calendar or sheet, write to, Astronomy Divisions, National Museum of Science and Technology, 1867 St. Laurent Blvd., Ottawa, Ont. K1A OM8.


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# EDITORIAL

Isn't it nice to know that at this 'charitable' season of the year, when we're getting all that smaltz about Santa Claus funds for needy children(income tax deductible contributions, of course), that the needs of 'them as has' aren't being neglected either.

The Scanner just received a release prepared by Frank Kaplan, a prominent writer on Canadian business and finance, in association with the staff and information facilities of The Investment Funds Institute of Canada, which represents financial organizations investing more than $1.85 billion of the savings of over 500,000 Canadians.

Mr. Kaplan has this tip for 'them as has'...'Here's a possible way to make the income tax collector contribute to your Christmas gift fund this year', Mr. Kaplan says.

'Invest in one of Ottawa's tax-deferral vehicles...the Registered Home Ownership Savings Plan (RHOSP)...and pay for the gifts with the income tax rebate you'll be entitled to early in 1979.'

Not everyone can qualify for this plan to make the other Canadian tax payers pick up your Christmas gift tab. There are a couple of qualifications for elegibility...you only get one in a lifetime and then only if you or your spouse don't own your own home.

The idea behind creating these vehicles is to encourage Canadians to save money to buy a home. But...just listen to this one...even if you have no intention of ever owning your own home, you can still obtain a tax benefit...wow!

If you decide you don't want to buy a house with it, watch out...the income tax man may get you when the savings plan ends (there's a time limit of 20 years), and the full amount is taxable income when received.

But Mr. Kaplan and the Investment Funds Institute have an out on that one too...the RHOSP can be switched into an Income Averaging Annuity Contract to spread the tax load over future years. 'That's the route to be followed by people who don't buy a house,' Mr. Kaplan advises.

Steven Kelman, investment editor of the Financial Times of Canada, recently did some of the arithmetic that illustrates the immediate saving if you buy a RHOSP by January 2. Suppose you are in the $15,000 a year income tax bracket (taxable income of that amount). If you set aside the maximum $1,000 into an RHOSP, you'll receive a rebate of $350 when you file yur 1978 personal tax return. If husband and wife both work, they can each put $1,000 into such a plan and if both were in the $25,000 taxable income bracket, their combined refund would be some $900...enough for a vacation down south, editor Kelman suggests.

And that's not all...at the same time you'll be earning income on the $1,000. The Canadian financial industry that set up and administers these plans was recently paying interest on the savings rates up to 9 per cent. If you set aside $1,000 a year on which you are paid 8%, in five years you'll have $6,335..all escaping the bite of the tax collector.

I don't know about the rest of you, but personally it makes me nauseous that an association, representing the big financial institutions would have such bad taste as to use Christmas giving for a purchasing come-on with the added little incentive of beating out the income tax man. And their callousness in throwing up at us in this time of depression, unemployment and hardship for so many people, the fact that there are in Canada families where each spouse is making $25,000 a year. The last straw is the suggestion that the money saved might be enough for a winter vacation down south. Don't even spend your savings(which you got at the expense of other Canadian taxpayers) at home where they might go a small way to helping the Canadian economy.

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Teacher Agnes Jordan directs the grades four and five choir in practice for the Christmas concert to be presented at Deseronto's Elementary School on Dec. 21.

Getting ready for a Christmas concert involves a lot of people and a lot of work.

Teachers and students at Deseronto's Elementary School have been busy for some weeks now, planning and practicing for the concert to be held on December 21.

On the day the Scanner visited the school, the choir from grades four and five was in full voice, under the direction of teacher Mrs. Agnes Jordan.

Up on the stage, other students, dressed in sacking, were acting out a Christmas story, while a commentator read the script.

Also included in the program were a couple of elves, who obligingly put on their costumes so we could have a preview look.

In the grade one classroom, the youngsters were doubly excited. In addition to the Christmas exc itement felt in all the other rooms, these pupils had the added new thrill of sitting at real school desks for the first time. Previously they had tables and chairs in the classroom.

Mrs. Agnes Jordan and Mrs. Joyce Tucker are the teachers in charge of the Christmas concert.

## Christmas safety tips

You can help make sure your holiday season is a happy one by making it a safe one.

St. John Ambulance has a check list of things to remember to prevent accidents from happening.

Be sure yourChristmas tree is standing in water to keep it from drying out too quickly.

Make sure your tree lights are in good condition and that their cords aren't frayed.

When you trim the tree, don't climb on stools or chairs, use a good, sturdy ladder.

Don't use flammable articles for decorations.

Keep the tree a safe distance from your fireplace, and be sure the fireplace is screened to prevent danger from flying sparks.

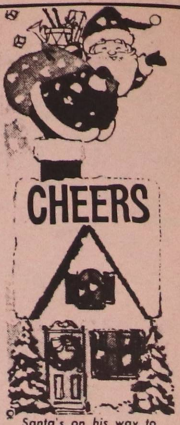
Be sure small children don't eat the berries, leaves or flowers of Christmas plants such as holly, Jerusalem cherry, mistletoe and poinsettia. They can cause digestive upset, intestinal irritation or vomiting.

Potato sacking came in handy for the shepherds' costumes which will be seen at the Christmas Concert coming up Dec. 21 at Deseronto's Elementary School. Teachers Agnes Jordan and Joyce Tucker are directing the performance.

Two Christmas elves, from grade 7, Cindy Sparks and Jackie Knight, show off the costumes they'll be wearing at Deseronto's School Christmas Concert.

Youngsters from grade 2 at Deseronto Public School take time out from reading a Christmas story to pose for the Scanner photographer.

Santa Claus has been a pretty busy fellow these past weeks, what with parades and parties and all his other appearances. The SCanner photographer caught him in the camera at the Santa Claus Parade in Picton.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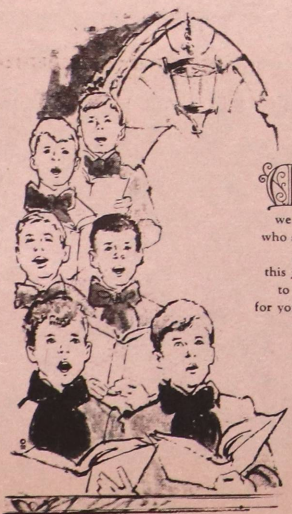

TODAY we join those who sing out the praises of this joyful season to thank you for your continued patronage. Merry Christmas.

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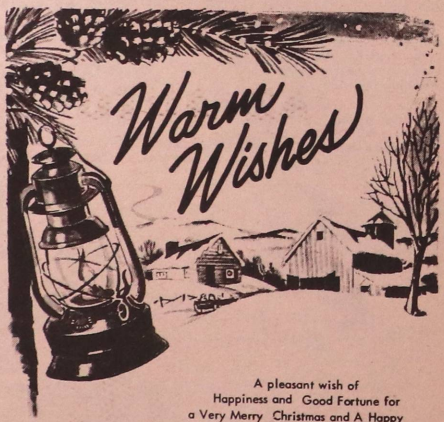


A pleasant wish of Happiness and Good Fortune for a Very Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year extended to all.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND HAPPY NEW YEAR
To All My Customers
THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATRONAGE
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These youngsters were having a good time as they drove down Picton's Main Street in the Santa Claus parade.

GLAD
CHRISTMAS
TIDINGS

*Tidings of good will and good cheer, too; coming your way with our sincere wishes for a memorable Christmas.*

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Thank you for your patronage!


## It takes time to burn up that 'one for the road'

Usually, when you invite people to a Christmas party, it's because you like them. So you don't want to kill them, do you?

Guests who leave your party after they have had too much to drink, are quite likely to get into an accident on the way home and they might be seriously hurt..or even killed.

And that's not just the drivers. Many of the pedestrians killed in traffic accidents every year have been drinking before they set out too.

Time is the only factor in eliminating alcohol from the body.

And there's an easy, rough rule-of-thumb way to calculate how long after drinking before it is safe to drive.

It takes the body about one hour to eliminate the alcohol in one drink...and that's a one-ounce drink, not a double.

One drink at eight o'clock, don't drive before nine. Two drinks at eight o'clock, don't drive before ten. One drink at eight o'clock and one drink at nine o'clock, don't drive before ten.

So, if you are having friends in for a party, close the bar casually an hour before guests are expected to start leaving.

Have some coffee ready when the bar is closed, not because it would sober anyone up but because it would hold the guests a little longer.

If a guest does drink too much, arrange for someone else to drive him home, or call a cab.

*Best Wishes for the*
*CHRISTMAS SEASON*

*Thanks to the support of friends old and new, everyday business is a special pleasure. Best wishes for the holiday season.*

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Greetings

Holiday time is aglow, in the hearts of young and old. Add to its warmth our bright "thank you."

Staff and Employees
Superior Deseronto Division
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It's that time of year when Santa's gifts are given out. And when best wishes for a happy holiday are given out to one and all. Thanks for your patronage!

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Merry Christmas &
Happy New Year!
Greetings
with every good wish for a beautiful Christmas! And may we express our sincere joy in serving you. Your patronage is appreciated.
THE HAIRITAGE
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# Year end news round up

Continued from page one

or partially nude floor shows etc. in bars, restaurants or other places of entertainment, and this law would also ban pornography on public newsstands, television, in movies, magazines and other media.

A few other counc ils have either filed the resolution or refused to endorse it.

A Peaceful Christmas
The peace of Christmas lives anew in song and story.
May your joys be many, as are these thanks to you.
Peter & Ann Morris
WHITE & MORRIS
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**HYDRO FOR PRINCE EDWARD**

Well, there's still no method which has been approved for submarining the power line under the Long Reach from North Fredericksburgh to Prince Edward County.

Jack Muir, of Ontario HYdro's eastern Ontario office in Belleville, informs the Scanner that the submarine line is now in the final design stage. Seven or eight designs were considered at first and now they are down to three. They expect to be going for approval from the Ministry of the Environment early in 1979.

But, despite the fact that they don't know how they are going to reach under the Bay, they are going ahead full tilt with expropriation of property, property.

'The boys o n the property end said there have been some settlements,' Mr. Muir reported. 'They feel they are making progress. And soil tests for tower footings are almost completed.'

Eighty owners are involved and, from comments heard by the Scanner, some of them are not at all happy with what Hydro is offering.

Hydro is not anticipating any problem with supplying power to Prince Edward this winter.

'There has been a general up-grading of the transformers at Belleville. They were changed this summer so they can put out 50% more power, available for the whole Quinte area,' Mr. Muir said. 'This was in service by July.'

And, just last week, they were trying to do repairs on two of the older cables coming into Prince Edward which might do for spares.

A Very Merry Christmas

And a Healthful, Successful, Happy New Year.

Drive Carefully!

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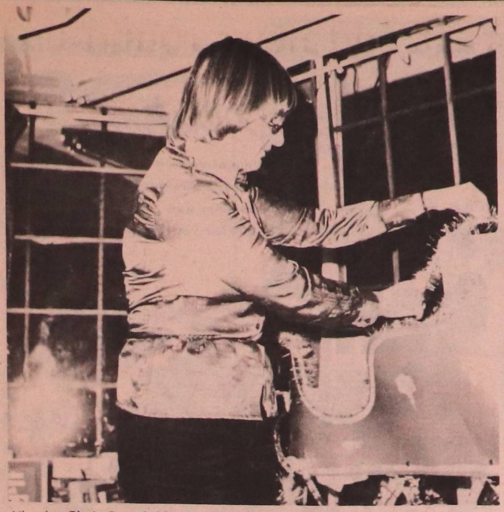

Librarian Gloria Greenfield puts the finishing touches to the Christmas display in the Deseronto Library window.

## Library Notes

This is the second week of Forgiveness Days. Up until Christmas no fines will be charged on overdue books. Please bring them back so others may enjoy them!

New books to enjoy during the holidays are Aritha Van Herk's prize winning novel, 'Judith', Desmond Bagley's mystery 'Flyaway', and Puzo's bestseller 'Fools Die'.

The library also has the non-fiction 'Bronfman Dynasty' which so many people are reading.

Remember that the library will be closed Christmas week from Christmas Day to New Years, but books may still be returned through the slot. Your books are stamped accordingly.

The library staff would like to wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and the best in the New Year! Thank you for your continued support.


Wishing all my customers and friends a Very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

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sounds through the land.
In this glad spirit
we wish you great
holiday happiness

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CHRISTMAS

To all our fine friends, we extend our very best wishes for a most joyous holiday and offer our appreciation for your patronage.

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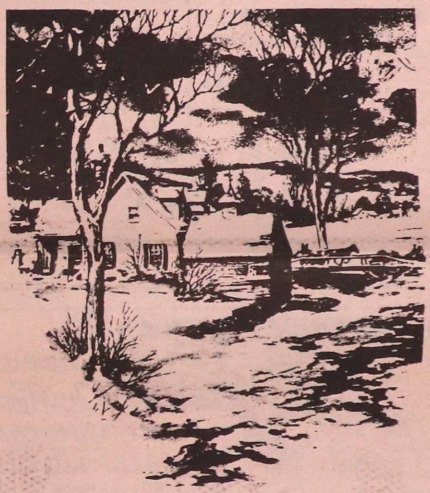

Christmas greetings

In the spirit of an old-fashioned Christmas we extend best wishes to all. We hope you and your loved ones share in the many old-time joys and blessings of the season.

Mayor John Neal
Reeve Bernard Johnston, Deputy Reeve David Martin and Councillors
Al Blaney, Roger Cole, Lena Cummings, Robt. Graydon, William Higgins and Clarence Zieman

TOWN OF DESERONTO

# Deseronto Legion News

The Legion held the monthly general meeting on Friday, Dec. 15. Comrade Al Fraser, president, presided. The colours were marched on by Sgt.-at-arms Comrade Art Hill.

Three members were initiated, Comrades Mary York, Everly Stathers and Cheryl Morris. The chairmen of the various committees gave very satisfactory reports. The downstairs hall has greatly improved since the installation of the 'Smoke eaters'.

On Saturday, Dec. 16, Comrade Tom Lickers and helpers ran a very successful Turkey Roll, some members were very lucky. A good turn-out and a pleasant evening was had by all. 'Good show, Tom'.

On Sunday, Santa visited our Upper Hall to the delight of about 150 members' children. The children had sandwiches, cookies, ice cream, chocolate milk and then Santa arrived and distributed gifts to all present.

The high light for Branch 280 was the introduction of the President of the Men's Branch Comrade Al Fraser and President of the Ladies Auxiliary Comrade Elise Hawthorn by M.C.Comrade Art Hill. Then the surprise, a presentation from the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Men's Branch...a cheque for $2,000 which the President thanked the ladies for very heartily and stated that they are the back bone of our organization.

The New Year's Dance is drawing near, the tickets can be had at the Bar. Comrades can purchase any amount now. Don't leave it too late.

Once again, we of the Men's Branch 280 wish to thank the Ladies' Auxiliary for the tremendous job you have done this past year.

We will be starting the Saturday night dances on Jan. 20, with the Shilyos and then every two weeks with some band.

This Saturday night, Dec. 23, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., you will be entertained by C J and Memphis.

We, the members of Branch 280, Royal Canadian Legion, wish all our friends in Deseronto and district a very Happy Christmas and a healthy New Year.


Merry Christmas

At this joyous time of year, we wish the best of holiday blessings to all our customers and their loved ones. Thanks for your loyalty.

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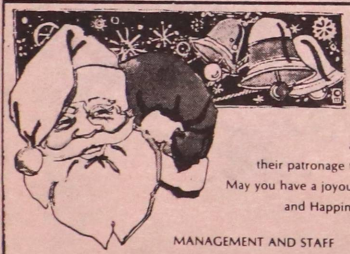

Merry Christmas

We wish to thank all our customers for their patronage throughout the year. May you have a joyous Holiday and Peace and Happiness in the New Year.

MANAGEMENT AND STAFF
MALLEY'S VARIETY STORE

We, as everyone else, rejoice in the glorious spirit that holiday days bring and in your thoughtful patronage. Appreciated thanks to you!

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May the Christmas season be filled with contentment and joy for you and your family.

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## HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Howard French fell and broke her leg. She is at home and in a cast.

Seasons Greetings

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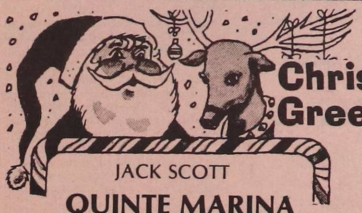
One of the school floats which took part in Picton's Christmas parade.

Christmas Greetings

JACK SCOTT

QUINTE MARINA

Deseronto, Ontario



'Tis the season of peace and good will. To friends, neighbors, sincere thanks.

Fred's Grocery

DESERONTO, ONTARIO

peace at Christmas

Joy

May songs of joy enrich your life. Much thanks!

MONARCH'S WHOLESALE

Indian Reserve Hwy. 2


## Fair compensation is recommended

The Canada-Ontario Rideau, Trent-Severn Advisory Committee recently submitted to the Hon. Hugh Faulkner, Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development and to Hon. James Auld, Minister of Natural Resources, a report on this summer's public review of the CORTS Greenpaper. Highlights of the report have also been presented at meetings with the Members of Parliament and the Members of the Provincial Legislature from along the CORTS waterway.

The committee advised the Ministers that the public sees many of the propositions as touching on the rights of the individual property owner.

There is general concern expressed for increasing government encroachment on these rights. In some cases, such as hazard lands and environmentally sensitive lands, zoning is seen as down-zoning and is interpreted as a form of expropriation without compensation.

'We advised the Ministers that fair compensation is a factor the government must consider in implementing many of the proposition,' Peter Burchell, Advisory Committee Chairman, said.

'The water management propositions were well received with most people stating the need for improved controls, legislation and education in the boating field. There was, however, sub stantial opposition by the public to formal boat operator licencing.'

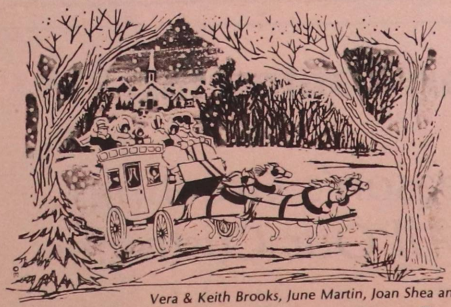
In addition to reviewing the Green paper's 24 propositions, the audiences at the summer public meetings put forward propositions of their own, which were also reported to the Ministers. Some were: the use of heritage buildings for government offices; the need for lake capacity studies; a continued and expanded septic tank inspection program; and new or improved fisheries management.

## Wellington Parade

Among the winners of awards in the Wellington Santa Claus Parade were: CML Snyder School Band, Bloomfield Cubs, the Royal Guards from Trenton, Bayfield School, Quinte Meats, the Ian Bush family, horse and rider, Julie Kemp; horse and driver, Keith Marshall; Kente School and Cline Pierson.

Judges were Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Jackson, Mrs. James Taylor, Mrs. Doris Whitefor, and Mrs. Jack Wells.


Merry Christmas to All!



Like the sparkling beauty of a snowy landscape, hearts are filled with peace and good will. Over the mountains, through the woods or wherever you'll be at Christmas, we wish you a merry one and sincere "Thanks" for your continued support.

Vera & Keith Brooks, June Martin, Joan Shea and Linda Brooks

BROOKS Junior Dept. Store

MAIN STREET DESERONTO

Christmas Wishes

Please accept these best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

Wm. HUNTER OPTICIANS

118 Centre Street, Napanee

TO ALL OUR CUSTOMERS, FRIENDS & NEIGHBOURS
**A Very Joyous Christmas & A Happy New Year**
From Bernie and Barry At
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# From the town pride

BY DON LINDSAY

Last Wednesday was Youth Night at the Lions Club. The affair was well attended by the members' children and young friends and if the amount of food consumed is an indication, was enjoyed to the fullest (no pun intended).

Entertainment for the evening was provided by Tom Huff of Cherry Valley, who is the Director of the Reptile Breeding Foundation of Canada. He was introduced and later thanked on behalf of the club by Lion Mac MacLean.

Mr. Huff provided his usual very interesting and enlightening talk on the snake, lizard, turtle family of animals and in so doing did a great deal to dispel many of the myths surrounding this much maligned and in some cases, endangered species. To the obvious delight of his audience, he brought along a turtle, milk snake and boa constrictor to exemplify his remarks.

No gathering of young fry at this time of year would be complete without a visit from Santa Claus, and this party was no exception. The man with the long white beard arrived - well, not quite on cue. It took a couple of extra choruses of Jingle Bells to get him out of the basement. But he did arrive with jingling bells and many a 'Ho-ho-ho' to do his thing with practiced ease and aplomb. One of the more cuddly Lions even got to sit on his lap. Each young guest was presented with a bag of goodies before St. Nick had to leave in order to stay on his very buksy schedule.

The only regular business conducted at this meeting was, appropriately, a presentation by Lion George VanAlstyne, chairman of the Youth Exchange Committee. Lion George outlined the purpose of his committee and expressed the club's intention of sending a selected boy and girl on a Lion sponsored visit for two weeks to the United States. More details on this project will be forthcoming.

Badges denoting recognition for the induction of new members into the club were presented to Lion President Roger Cole, First Vice President Lion Vern Boomhower and Lion George VanAlstyjne.

Last week's regular Thursday nig ht bingo also had an added attraction. Tne annual Christmas turkey draw was held and the nine -(that's right, nine) - lucky winners were: Loraine Elmy, Marysville; Bill Westerbelt, Bloomfield; Leo McCullough, Deseronto; J. Hinchely,, Oshawa; Leona Tucker, Marysville; Glen Trasker, Brighton; Evelyn Hawley, Deseronto; Barclay Johnston, Belleville, and Lillian B arberstock of Shannonville who won two, which explains why there were only nine winners instead of ten.

And how about the Pride's canvass for the CNIB! All donations appear to be in. The final figuyre ??? $902!

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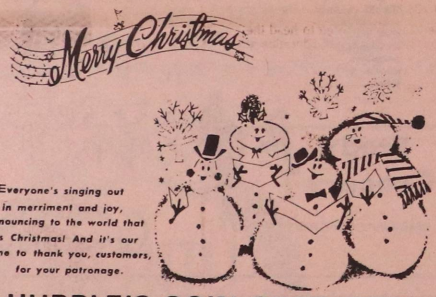


*Everyone's singing out in merriment and joy, announcing to the world that it's Christmas! And it's our time to thank you, customers, for your patronage.*

**HUBBLE'S COIN-OPERATED LAUNDRY**

**Don Stanton Ins. Ltd.**

*Season's Greetings*
*To All Our Customers*

**Quinte Isle Travel Agency**

This picture was taken last year. We haven't had this much snow yet this year, but it's coming.

GREETINGS
Quinte Link
Rebekah Lodge
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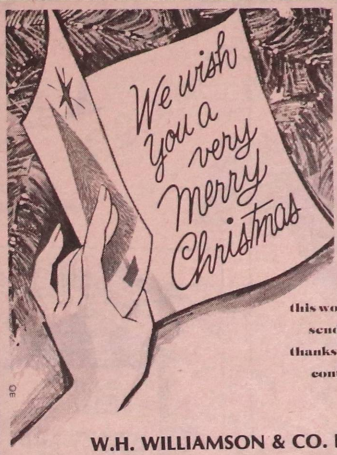


As you greet this woudrous season we send warm wishes and thanks for the gift of your continued friendship.

W.H. WILLIAMSON & CO. INSURANCE
Main Street Picton


**HASTINGS BOARD CHAIRMAN**

Fraser Rose was chosen to head the Hastings County Board of Education at the inaugural meeting, held Dec. 4.

'The major problem facing our board is how to preserve the quality of education while holding taxes down,' the new chairman said. 'It is an honour I will not take lightly.

Trustee Earl Hawley was chosen for vice-chairman.

A recommendation to establish committees of the board was deferred and a committee will be estab lished to study the committee structure of the board and bring forward recommendations.

Tom & Flo McAlister
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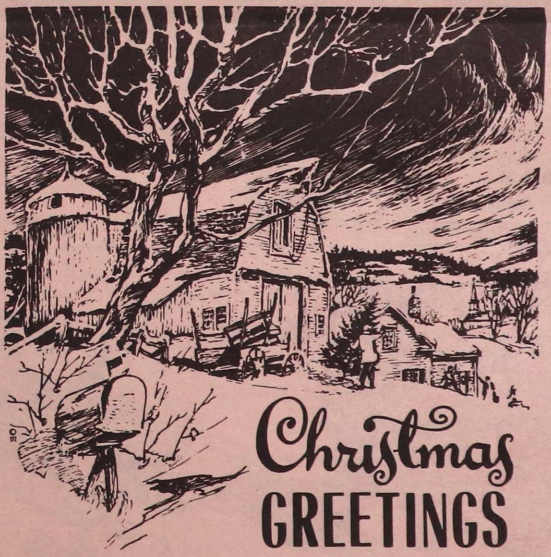

Christmas
GREETINGS

*At this crisp and exciting time of year, we are hopeful that your holiday will be filled with joyous warmth, richly shared with those you hold dear. And to you, our customers, we express our thanks and appreciation for your continued patronage. Merry Christmas!*

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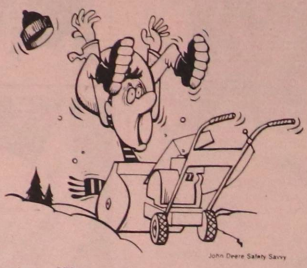
# Snowblowers can be unhealthy too




**Wear close-fit clothing when you're snow blowing.**

Many people buy snow blowers because they're concerned about the strain of shoveling snow by hand. Shoveling taxes yc ur heart and strains the small of your back. If yo u have decided to save your heart and back by using a powered snow blower, don't become overconfident and cause yourself another kind of injury due to careless operation. Here are a few easy-to-remember safety tips compiled by John Deere Limited, to help you keep your driveway and walks clear of snow and you clear of danger.

Read the operator's manual before you touch the controls. Make sure you know how to set up the snow blower properly for safe operation. Become familiar with each control, recommended starting and stopping procedures, and the operation of safety devices.

Do not tamper with the snow blower by removing safety shields, overriding safety clutches, or increasing engine speed. Manufacturers are concerned about your safety and have designed effective devices to help protect you from harm.

Never add fuel while the engine is running. Use a safety approved gasoline container and keep it high on a shelf where children cannot reach it.

Be sure the areas you will clear are free from hidden hazards...toys, tools, rocks, sports equipment are invisible dangers when buried in deep snow. Before it snows, check your driveway and walks for anything that could be a problem. If you blow snow off the front stoop or porch, be sure to take in the welcome mat or rug so it doesn't clog the auger.

Keep children and pets safely away when operating the snow blower. Snow can be discharged to distances of 18 to 32 feet or farther, depending upon the size of your unit. A machine that discharges snow to that distance can propel a rock at great velocity. Play it safe. Direct the snow discharge away from buildings and people.

Using a snow blower is an adult's job. Don't turn it over to children. And be sure that any adult who uses your snow blower is properly instructed in its operation.

Wear relatively close-fitting clothing. A loose scarf can be caught in the auger blade. Loose straps on coat sleeves, loose b elts, and gloves fastened to D-rings are all possible dangers.

Do not operate the snow blower too close to a ditch or terrace. Watch for holes or curbs that could cause you to lose balance and fall. Reduce speed on slopes and sharp turns to prevent tipping or loss of control. Watch for traffic when nearing the st reet. And avoid blowing snow on a road or highway.

If the auger becomes clogged, do not reach into the auger shel to dislodge ice, snow or other objects. This is probably the most common cause of snow blower injuries. Never put yur hand into the auger housing or discharge chute while the engine is running.

Instead, turn off the engine, disconnect the spark plug wire, and use a tool to pry out the clog.

Never leave the snow blower running while you walk away for a rest b reak or a conversation with a neighbour. Give complete and undivided attention to the snow clearing job.

Just follow this advice from the people at John Deere and you'll keep your driveway clear of snow with less risk of backache and accident.

Peace on Earth...

It's the season of love and goodwill. May people the world over share in its joys.

Many thanks for your loyal patronage

BEN & SALLY BRANT

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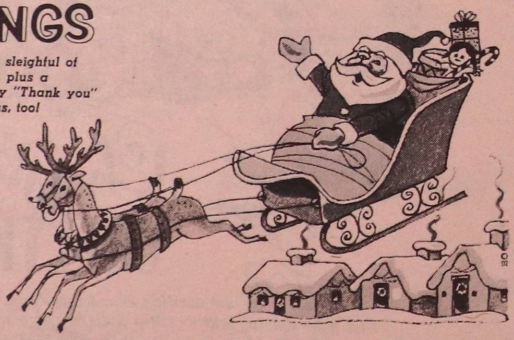
DESERONTO ONTARIO

GREETINGS

*Santa's on his way with a sleighful of merry wishes for you, plus a hearty "Thank you" from us, too!*



**KORTEN'S CLOTHING & SHOE STORE**

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# Old age pensioners Christmas gift

Here's a Christmas present for a lot of people from the Federal Ministry of Health and Welfare.

A 9 per cent increase, effective January, 1979, to the Canada Pension Plan b enefits currently paid will go to more than one million recipients.

The Ministry also announced the new maximum amounts which will be paid to persons who qualify for benefits in 1979.

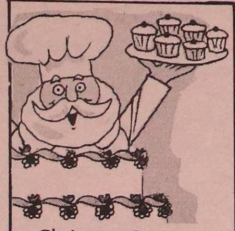
The current retirement pensions, disability and survivors' benefits, paid to an estimate 1,054,000 persons, will be raised by 9 per cent to reflect increases in the Consumer Price Index. Aproximately 660,500 of these persons are retirement pensioners, while 73,300 are disability pensioners and 171,500 are surviving spouses.

Another 126,000 payments are for children who receive benefits as orphans or children of disabled contributors. In addition, there are 22.700 combined benefits, such as for a su rviving spouse who receives a retirement pension and a survivors' benefit.

For persons qualifying in 1979, the maximum retirement pension will be $218.06 a month, while benefits for disabled contributors' children and orphans of deceased contributors will be $52.51. The maximum monthly surviving spouse's pension will be $134.28 for persons under 65 years of age and $130.84 for spouses 65 or older.

These increased benefit levels, for persons who qualify in 1979, reflect the rise in the contributory earnings ceiling (Year's Maximum Pensionable Earnings), which was recently announced by Revenue Canada as $11,700 for 1979.

The rise in the Year's Maximum Pensionable Earnings results in an increase in the maximum amount of money people contribute to the Canada Pension Plan and therefore an increase in benefits.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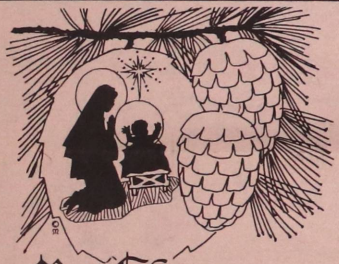
May Christmas be radiant with the light of peace, joy and blessings for you and yours.
*Clarence & Noreen Zieman*

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**Happy Holidays**
We're all smiles at the thought of your friendship. With appreciation we hope your holiday will be a picture of perfection.
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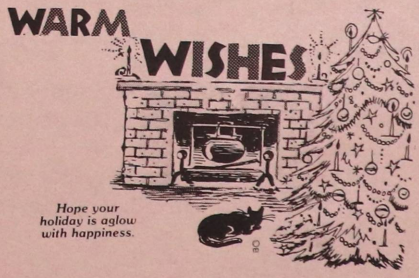

Merry Christmas
and
A Happy New Year
TO ALL OUR FRIENDS FROM THE STAFF OF
**IMPERIAL SUBMARINE**

# We Wish You a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Virginia Maracle, Toots Dixon, Lou Hill, Willy Martin, Doc Maracle, Roy Taylor, Don Hill, Bob Maracle, Bob McLeod, Dawn Rosenblath, Carol Kirby, Tim Sisson, John Maracle, Beth Sisson, Carla Barnhart, Sam Maracle, Luc Leclair, Rick Sisson, Jim Mayo and Andrew Maracle — Employees of

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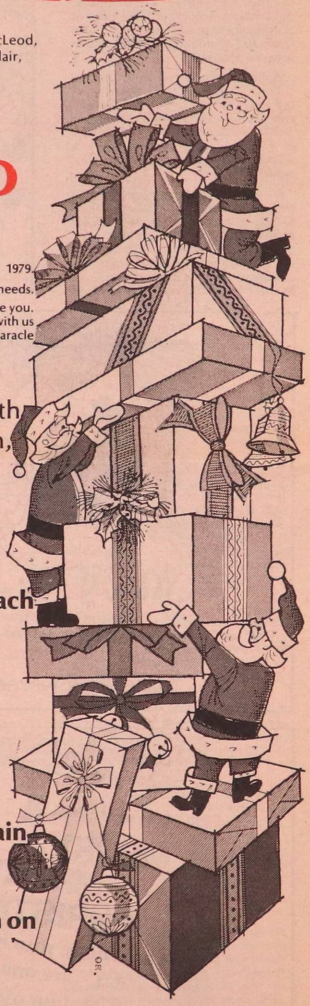
Andrew Maracle



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**Our winter hours are 8 a.m. til 9 p.m. seven days a week**

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